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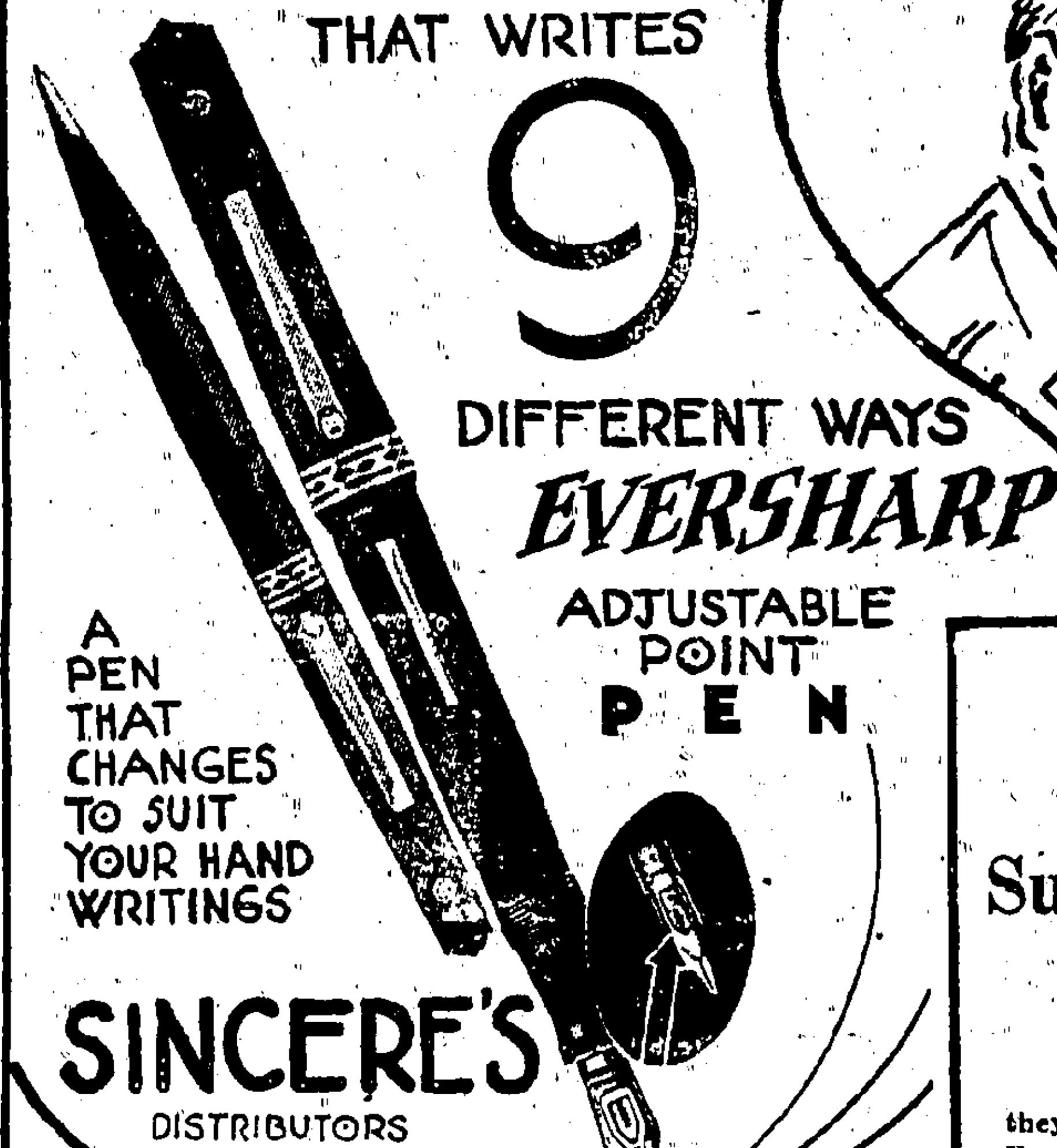
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6.36 p.m.	6.43	6.56	7.11	7.15	7.25	7.30	7.30	7.30	7.30	7.30	7.30
7.43 p.m.	7.57	8.00	8.23	8.26	8.36	8.41	8.41	8.41	8.41	8.41	8.41
8.01 a.m.	7.58	7.43	7.30	7.15	7.04	7.09	7.09	7.09	7.09	7.09	7.09
8.01 a.m.	8.36	8.30	8.00	8.53	7.55	7.51	7.51	7.51	7.51	7.51	7.51
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11.40 a.m.		Holidays & Sundays Only			11.05	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00	11.00
12.18 p.m.	12.22	Through	Midnight	11.32	11.32	11.32	11.32	11.32	11.32	11.32	11.32
1.06 p.m.	1.00	12.07	12.13	12.20	12.17	12.17	12.17	12.17	12.17	12.17	12.17
3.14 p.m.	3.18	3.08	2.53	2.47	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36	2.36
4.22 p.m.	4.16	4.03	3.48	3.44	3.30	3.22	3.22	3.22	3.22	3.22	3.22
4.40 p.m.		Fast	Through						4.05	12.55 p.m.	
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7.32 p.m.		Through	Express						6.17	1.15 p.m.	
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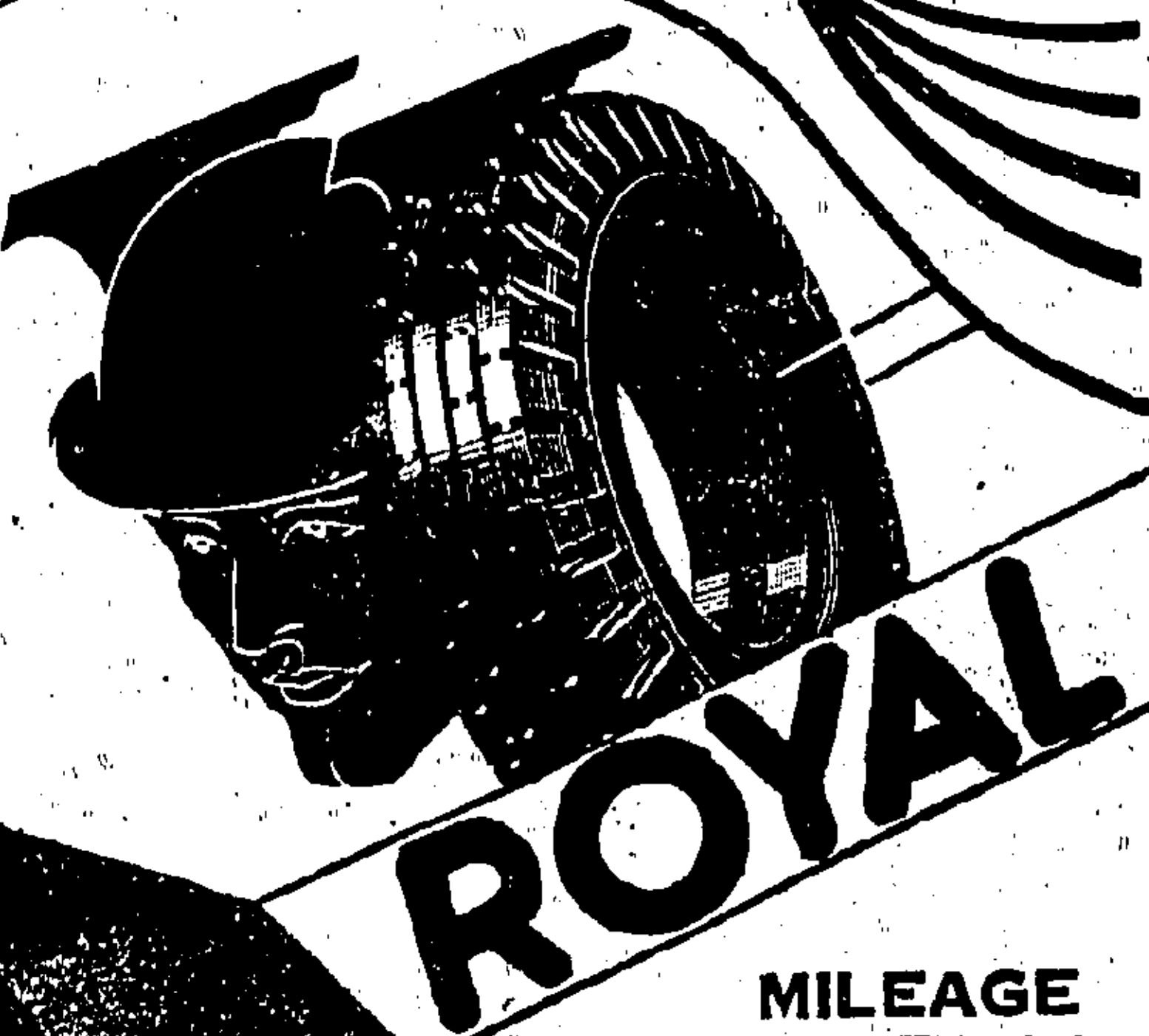
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HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

Sunderland Retains League Leadership

Playing at home, Aston Villa provided plenty of thrills when they held Sunderland to a 1-1 draw in the first division of the Home football league on Saturday. The latter, however, are still leading in the premier division with 10 points for six matches played.

Some close matches were seen in the Scottish league as well, perhaps the best game was between Albion and St. Mirren with the latter winning by the odd goal in five.

The results, as cabled by Reuter, together with league tables brought up-to-date, are:-

ENGLISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION	
Arsenal	4 W. Bromwich
Aston Villa	1 Sunderland
Blackburn	2 Wednesday
Chelsea	1 Tottenham
Derby	1 Leicester
Everton	1 Liverpool
Huddersfield	1 Grimsby
Man'ter. C.	3 Stoke
Middlesbro'	0 Birmingham
Portsmouth	0 Leeds
Wolves	2 Preston

SECOND DIVISION	
Barnsley	1 Swansea
Blackpool	2 Brentford
Bradford C.	2 Oldham
Bury	1 Notts F.
Newcastle	0 Bradford
Norwich	3 Plymouth
Notts C.	0 Bolton
Port Vale	3 Manchester U.
Sheffield U.	0 Burnley
Southampton	3 Hull
West Ham	2 Fulham

THIRD DIVISION (North)	
Barrow	3 Walsall
Carlisle	2 Rotherham
Chester	5 York
Crewe	2 Stockport
Doncaster	2 Accrington
Hartlepool	1 Gateshead
Lincoln	1 Wrexham
Mansfield	2 Chesterfield
New Brighton	0 Tranmere
Rochdale	2 Halifax
Southport	1 Darlington

THIRD DIVISION (South)	
Bournemouth	1 Gillingham
Bristol R.	2 Bristol C.
Charlton	3 Southend
Crystal P.	2 Luton
Exeter	0 Millwall
Newport	2 Coventry
Northampton	1 Reading
Queen's P.R.	2 Brighton
Swindon	3 Aldershot
Torquay	5 Cardiff
Worthing	5 Clapton

SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
Aberdeen	2 Motherw'
Albion	2 St. Mirren
Clyde	3 Hibernian
Hamilton	4 Celtic

ENGLISH LEAGUE	
Hearst	1 Airdrie
Kilmarnock	4 Falkirk
Rangers	2 Ayr United
Queen's Pk.	4 Dundee
Queen O'S.	2 Dunfermline
St. Johnstone	2 Partick

FIRST DIVISION	
Sunderland	6 4 0 2 14 3 10
Preston	6 4 1 1 0 7 9
Manchester C.	6 4 1 1 15 7 9
Arsenal	5 3 0 2 20 8 8
Everton	6 3 1 2 10 8 8
Portsmouth	6 2 1 3 6 7 7
Wednesday	6 2 1 1 14 12 7
Leicester	6 2 2 2 14 9 8
Tottenham	6 2 2 2 8 6 6
Grimsby	6 2 2 2 8 6 6
Sickle	6 3 3 0 18 10 6
Birmingham	6 3 3 0 7 9 6
Middlesbro'	6 1 2 3 8 8 5
West Bromwich	6 1 2 3 9 10 5
Leeds	6 1 2 3 9 10 5
Derby	6 2 3 1 10 8 6
Aston Villa	6 2 3 1 9 15 5
Port Vale	6 1 2 3 11 12 4
Blackburn	6 1 2 3 11 12 4
Liverpool	6 2 4 0 6 14 4
Huddersfield	6 1 4 1 4 15 3
Chelsea	6 1 5 0 6 18 2

SECOND DIVISION	
Bolton	6 6 0 0 19 2 12
Brentford	6 4 0 2 17 8 10
Burnley	6 4 1 1 12 3 9
Blackpool	6 3 1 2 14 9 8
Port Vale	6 3 1 2 13 7 8
Bradford	6 2 0 3 8 6 7
Barnsley	6 3 2 1 11 9 7
Norwich	6 2 1 2 9 6 6
Fulham	6 2 2 2 9 7 6
Swansea	6 2 2 2 9 7 6
Sheffield U.	6 2 2 2 9 8 6
Bradford C.	6 3 3 0 10 8 6
Plymouth	6 1 2 3 11 16 5
Wolves	6 1 2 3 11 16 5
West Ham	6 1 2 3 11 16 5
Bury	6 3 3 0 4 11 4
Oldham	6 1 3 2 7 15 4
Southampton	6 1 3 2 8 13 4
Manchester U.	6 2 4 0 11 14 4
Notts C.	6 1 4 1 14 10 8
Newcastle	6 1 5 0 10 19 2
Hull	6 0 4 1 6 18 1

THIRD DIVISION (North)	
Tranmere	6 5 0 1 11 4 11
Wrexham	6 4 0 2 12 4 10
Darlington	6 5 1 0 10 5 11
Chester	6 5 1 0 19 5 10

THIRD DIVISION (South)	
Millwall	5 6 0 0 11 3 10
Charlton	6 5 1 0 14 7 10
Coventry	6 4 1 1 11 3 9
Swindon	6 3 1 2 11 8 8
Brighton	6 4 2 0 11 8 8
Newport	6 4 2 0 12 7 8
Cardiff	6 4 3 0 10 17 8
Bristol C.	6 3 2 1 8 7 7
Reading	6 3 2 1 10 5 7
Queen's P.R.	6 3 2 1 12 11 7
Crystal P.	7 2 3 2 16 18 6
Gillingham	5 2 2 1 8 6 6
Bournemouth	6 2 3 1 10 11 6
Aldershot	6 2 3 1 10 11 6
Southend	7 2 4 1 11 13 5
Luton	6 1 3 2 8 7 4
Exeter	6 2 4 0 6 7 4
Northampton	6 2 4 0 7 13 4
Torquay	6 2 4 0 10 18 4
Bristol R.	6 0 3 3 7 18 3
Walsall	6 0 4 2 9 10 3
Clapton	6 1 5 0 3 16 2

SCOTTISH LEAGUE	
St. Johnstone	6 6 0 2 15 7 14
Clyde	6 6 0 2 12 9 14
Rangers	6 6 1 1 22 7 13
Motherwell	6 4 1 3 14 6 11
Aberdeen	7 4 1 2 11 6 10
Hamilton	7 4 1 2 11 11 10
Hearts	6 4 2 2 11 5 10
Dundee	6 3 2 3 11 11 9
Queen's Park	6 3 2 2 12 10 8
Airdrie	6 4 4 0 15 19 8
Celtic	6 2 3 3 11 8 7
Hibernian	6 3 4 1 9 13 7
Queen O'South	6 3 4 1 7 10 7
Partick	6 2 4 2 8 14 6
St. Mirren	6 2 4 2 8 14 6
Kilmarnock	6 3 5 0 17 17 6
Albion	6 5 1 9 16 5 6
Ayr	6 2 5 1 13 19 5
Falkirk	6 0 7 1 6 19 1
Dunfermline	6 0 7 1 6 21 1

HOME RUGGER	
London, Sept. 15.	
The following were the results of rugby football matches played today:-	
Bath	8 Bedford
Blackheath	8 Rosslyn Park
Bradford	26 Manchester
Bristol	8 Swansea
Gloucester	20 Moseley
Leicester	20 Plymouth Alb.
Llanelli	15 Waterloo
Northampton	16 Old Paulines
Portsmouth	13 London Irish
Glasgow H.S.	11 West O'Scot.
Gillhead H.S.	27 Glasgow Acc.
Cardiff	6 Neath

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PROTECTION OF MINORITIES

Poland's Decision Examined

London, Sept. 14.
The gravity of the decision announced yesterday by the Polish Foreign Minister, Colonel Beck, when he stated that Poland refused any longer to co-operate with international bodies concerning the protection of minority populations, was emphasised by the appearance of both Sir John Simon and M. Barthou at to-day's meeting of the League of Nations Assembly.

Sir John Simon said the country he represented, together with some other parties, were signatories of the Polish minority treaty, in which Poland accepted the guarantee of the League for the protection of national minorities. The terms of Article 93 of the Versailles Treaty could not be overlooked.

Binding Resolutions
Poland had further accepted the procedure as to the manner in which the guarantee was to be exercised. Those resolutions became binding on Poland by reason of her acceptance. No country could possibly release herself from the obligations by unilateral action.

Referring to the proposal for universalisation of international protection of minorities and the particular position of certain States bound by the minority treaties, he pointed out these two matters were entirely distinct. Regarding the former, the Polish draft resolution on the subject was already before the Assembly's Political Commission.

Italy and France Concur
M. Barthou, in supporting Sir John Simon, said he spoke as the representative of France, the friend and ally of Poland, and could not believe Colonel Beck's speech was intended as a threat or an attempt to impose a "fait accompli" on the League.

Baron Aloisi (Italy) also sup-

NO GOVERNMENT HEAD

Chaotic Conditions in Szechuen

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Sept. 12.
Chaotic conditions are prevailing in Szechuen following the elimination of General Liu Wen Hui as Chairman of the Provincial Government, as now the province is without a civilian or political head, according to reliable reports from Chengtu.

The situation is further complicated by the resignation of General Liu Hsiang as Director of the Chengtu Pacification Headquarters. His job was to suppress the Communists, but owing to the non-co-operation of the National military authorities General Liu Hsiang is obliged to resign.

There are several militarists in Szechuen, each in control of several counties. General Liu Hsiang is the nephew of General Liu Wen Hui, but blood relationship does not keep the two men in harmony. General Liu Hsiang was able to defeat his uncle with assistance from the Military Affairs Commission, and he is now the most powerful warlord in the province.

As a result of the dissensions among the provincial militarists, four counties in Szechuen are occupied by the Communists. More Red bands are on their way to Szechuen, taking advantage of the unsettled conditions there.

The National Government does not wish to appoint one of the Szechuen military men as Chairman of the Provincial Government for fear of creating jealousy and desires to appoint a loyal Nanking man for the post. The difficulty, however, is that no person can become the head of the Szechuen Provincial Government unless he commands at least four divisions of troops.

porred the censure, and, like M. Barthou, admitted the possibility to treaty revision, but said adaptation must be affected legally and existing engagements respected until replaced by new provisions.

British Wireless.

SKELETON IN A CELLAR

A Haunted House Mystery

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Sept. 14.
A first class haunted house was discovered at 170 Great South Road in the heart of the city. The premises have been left vacant since May, 1933; the last tenant using it as a tea shop catering for workmen. It is suspected that an employee of the tea shop died or was murdered there.

After the tea shop went into involuntary liquidation, the landlord, a 31-year-old native of Tolsan, had the house to let. No one liked to rent the house during the past fifteen months, for prospective tenants often received a cold shiver or had an unpleasant and uncanny feeling when they inspected the building.

There was furniture in the building left behind by the tea shop proprietor, who was unable to pay all the rents in arrears. Although the shop was securely fastened with padlocks and chains furniture was missing from time to time. The landlord, therefore, removed all fixtures from the house until it was quite empty.

The landlord made it known that the rent was very low, and this attracted the attention of several waiters of a cheap restaurant and guests of an inexpensive hotel nearby. They planned, to open a workshop for the repair of vehicles and rented the shop at a bargain price.

The tenants cleaned up the house and descended to the cellar to see how large it was. The cellar was unusually cool and dark. With the aid of a lamp the tenants found near an empty water tank made of earth a human skeleton. This explains why the house is haunted.

No one can identify the group of bones or say how the person died. Police authorities believe the person died of natural causes, yet why his remains were located in the basement of an empty house as a mystery.

MAJOR-GENERAL ALEXANDER

How He Won The V. C.

(Special Air Mail Special)

London, Aug. 28.
Major-General E. W. Alexander, V.C., C.B., C.M.G., late R.A., of Horswell House, South Milton, Kingsbridge, Devon, died on Saturday at the age of 63. He won the Victoria Cross at Elouges on August 24, 1914.

Ernest Wright Alexander was born in Liverpool on October 2, 1870, the son of Mr. Robert Alexander, a shipowner and director of the Suez Canal. From Cherbourg House, Malvern, he went to Harrow in 1884, being at first in a Small House and then in the Park (Mr. Hayward's). He entered the Royal Military Academy direct from Harrow, being accelerated one term, and received his first commission in July, 1889. He served in India from 1892 to 1900 and again from 1903 to 1906, when he was promoted to major. Lord Ernest Hamilton, in "The First Seven Divisions," gives the following account of Major Alexander's act of bravery:

"The dismounted men were gradually withdrawn. During the course of one of these withdrawals the Captain Francis Grenfell, 9th Lancers, noticed Major Alexander, of the 119th Battery, in difficulties with regard to the withdrawal of his guns. All his horses had been killed and almost every man in the detachment was either killed or wounded. Captain Grenfell offered assistance, which was gladly accepted, and presently he returned with 11 officers of his regiment and some 40 men. The ground was very heavy and the guns had to be run back by hand under a ceaseless fire, but they were all saved. Major Alexander, Captain Grenfell and the rest of the officers working as hard as the men. Captain Grenfell was already wounded when he arrived and was again hit while manhandling one of the guns, but he declined to retire till they were all saved. For this fine performance Major Alexander and Captain

Grenfell were each awarded the Victoria Cross, Sergeants Turner and Davids getting the D.C.M."

Captain Grenfell's V.C., gazetted on November 16, 1914, was the first awarded in the Great War. He was mortally wounded on May 21, 1915; his twin brother, Riversdale, has been killed in action on September 14, 1914. Major Alexander's V.C. was gazetted on February 18, 1915.

For conspicuous bravery and great ability at Elouges on August 24, 1914, when the flank guard was attacked by a German corps, in handling his battery against overwhelming odds with such conspicuous success that all his guns were saved, notwithstanding that they had to be withdrawn by hand by himself and three other men. This enabled the retirement of the 5th Division to be carried out without serious loss. Subsequently Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander (then Major) rescued a wounded man under a heavy fire with the greatest gallantry and devotion to duty.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander was appointed to command the 22nd Brigade, R.F.A., on October 5, 1914. Later he commanded the 77th Brigade, R.F.A., and from August 25, 1915, the R.A., 15th Division, with the temporary rank of brigadier-general. In April, 1916, he was appointed G.O.C. R.A., 15th Army Corps, again in the temporary rank of brigadier-general, and held the command till March 1917. From May, 1917, to April, 1918, he commanded R.A., XI Corps, and was their appointed Major-General, R.A., at headquarters of the First Army. Afterwards he commanded R.A., Southern Area, Aldershot Command. He was mentioned in dispatches nine times, created a C.B. and a C.M.G., and received the Croix de Guerre, the Military Order of Savoy, and the Military Order of Avis. He married in 1903 Rose, daughter of Major H. G. Newcome, R.A., and leaves two daughters.

SULTAN'S SON

Passes Flying Test

Singapore, Sept. 8.

His Highness, Tungku Ahmad Shah, a son of His Highness the Sultan of Selangor, and a member of the Kuala Lumpur Flying Club, successfully passed his tests and flew solo on Friday last.

This is a sign of the times that a member of a royal household in Malaya should become so keen on aviation.

Tungku Ahmad, who is about 20 years of age, is a modern young prince in every way.

A month ago the germ of aviation entered him and he joined the Club for instruction, every day, and made extremely rapid progress. A few lessons more, and he will be the proud possessor of a pilot's licence.

Vast Changes
Thirty years ago, when the Sultan of Selangor was about the same age as his son, the State was wild. The mode of transport to Kuala Lumpur from anywhere was either by river or through unbroken forest over rough, unmetalled cart tracks.

His Highness the Sultan has thus lived to see railways and roads being constructed in his State, the advent of the motor-car—and a son of his successfully learning how to use the most modern form of transport, the aeroplane.

RADIO IN PENANG

Wireless Society To Hold Second Exhibition

Singapore, Sept. 8.

Following the successful Radio Exhibition held by the Penang Wireless Society in December 1932, it has been decided to hold a second Radio, Gramophone, and Allied Trades Exhibition on Dec. 6, 7 and 8, the venue being the Penang Turf Club Pavilions where more suitable arrangement can be made for exhibitors than in the Town Hall where the previous exhibition was held.

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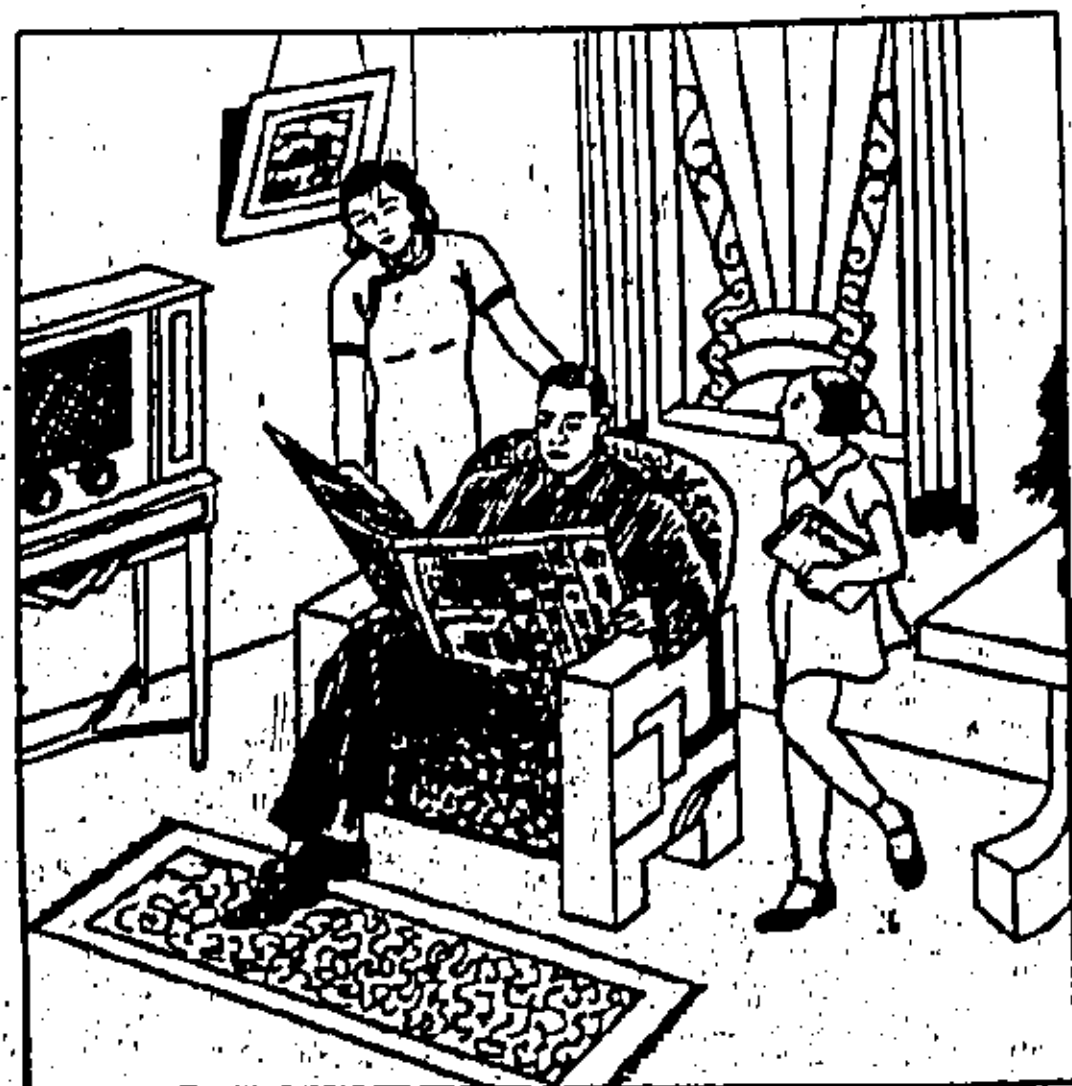
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London, Aug. 23.

As soon as Australia had taken
the wicket of England's last man,
and so won by 562 runs, a crowd
estimated at 5,000 swarmed across
the ground to the front of the
Pavilion. There they called re-
peatedly for Woodfull.

Fully five minutes passed before
Woodfull led his men to the cal-
cany. All the Australian players
were there. They waved to the
crowd and then returned to the
dressing-room.

Next there were cries for Wyatt.
At length the England captain
appeared, smiled and waved, and
disappeared into the Pavilion.

Then the crowd became satir-
ical. They called first for Larwood,
then for Voce, and finally for the
Selection Committee.

BRAVE BOWES

The brightest feature of the day
for England was the brave effort
of Bowes, Yorkshire's fast bowler.
Though suffering from asthma,
which necessitated an emergency
operation on Tuesday night, Bowes
went from hospital to the ground
in the morning to make his big
bid on behalf of England. After
taking five wickets for 55 runs, he
returned to the Gordon Hospital
for an examination, which showed
that he was none the worse for
his effort. As soon as the
examination was over he returned
to the Oval to bat.

He will probably have to undergo
another operation next month.

Woodfull the Australian captain,
was easily the happiest man in
London last night. It was his
birthday. He had reached 37 years
of age and regained the "Ashes"
on the same day in his last Test.
for he is retiring in November.

The first people to congratulate
the Australians were the three
members of the England Selection
Committee, who went to the team's
dressing-room. They were quickly
followed by the England side and
the two umpires. An impromptu
party was held there in honour of
Woodfull.

WYATT'S PRAISE

Afterwards Wyatt, in an inter-
view, said:

"Australia was the better team
in this match. It was played on
one of the easiest-paced wickets
I have known, and the Australians
took full advantage of it. What
was against us in this tour was
the series of easy-paced wickets.
Australia have won on their
merits."

Woodfull said: "Of course I am
very happy indeed to have led
Australia to victory for the second
time at the Oval, and so recover
the 'Ashes.' I am glad it is all
over, for the strain is very great.
The whole team have backed me
up splendidly."

Sir Stanley Jackson, Chairman
of the Selection Committee, was
strong in his praises of the sports-
manship of the English crowd "on
every ground on which Test mat-
ches have been played this sea-
son."

The attendance total for this
four days of the match was
95,000, yesterday's spectators num-
bering 17,000. The daily total is
about the same as that for the
Oval Test of 1930, in which,
however, the last day's attendance
was only 8,000, there being only
one wicket to fall.

SCOTLAND AT LORDS

London, Aug. 22.

Scotland's two-day match with
the M.C.C. at Lord's had an excit-
ing finish. The M.C.C. had hopes
of winning or they would not have
claimed the extra half-hour, and
Scotland evidently entertained the
same ambition for runs were made
at a very good pace, and in the
end stumps were drawn with Scot-
land 17 runs short. In Scotland's
first innings a good many more
runs came from the tail-end bats-
men than is common, but of the
newcomers among players chosen
for their batting A. I. S. Macph-
erson had a successful knock.

TO-DAY'S RADIO PROGRAMME

Broadcast by Z.B.W.
on 355 Metres

Monday, Sept. 17.
1-2.15 p.m. European Programme.
1 p.m. Local Time and Weather
Report.

1.03 p.m. Recorded Music.
1.15 p.m. A Relay of the Hong
Kong Hotel Orchestra from the
Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room.
1.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.
Rugby Press News, etc.
2.15 p.m. Close Down.

Violin and Pianoforte Recital

from the Studio.

Z. E. K. Programme.

6-8 p.m. European Programme.

6-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hong
Kong Hotel Orchestra from the
Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room.
7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quota-
tions, London and New York
Stock and Commodity Quota-
tions.

7.08-7.30 p.m. Musical Comedy.

Vocal Gems—The Desert Song
(Romberg). Light Opera Com-
pany.

Selection—Bow Dells (Sullivan).

New Mayfair Orchestra.

Vocal Gems—Bliss Sweet (Noel
Coward). Columbia Light
Opera Company.

7.30-8 p.m. From the Studio.

A Violin and Pianoforte Recital
by Miss Jose Radesky and
Miss Mona Maclean.

Programme.

1. Dogers March from "The
Merchant of Venice"....Roose.

2. Violin Solos:

(a) Serenade from "Les
Millions D'Arlequin".....Drick.

(b) Le Cygne.....Saint-
Saens.

3. On the Road to Mandalay.....
Oley Speaks.

4. Speak to me of Love....Lenoit.

5. Selection—"The Student"
Prince"....Romberg.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather
Report.

9.03-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio
Concert.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.

London 1 p.m. Stock and Com-
modity Quotations.

10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.

Rugby Mid-day Press News.
Further London stock and com-
modity Quotations, followed by
New York Opening quotations.

10.40 p.m. Close Down.

8.30-10 p.m. European Recorded
Music from Z.E.K. on a fre-
quency of 640 k.c's.

8.30-8.55 p.m. Orchestra Music.

Overture—Euryanthe (Weber)....
Willem Mengelberg and his
Concertgebouw Orchestra.

Overture—Fingal's Cave (Man-
delssohn)....St. Louis Symphony
Orchestra.

Hungarian Rhapsody No. 1 in F.
(Liszt)....London Symphony Or-
chestra.

8.55-9.30 p.m. A Concert.....
Pianoforte Solo—Navarra (Al-
beniz)....Arthur Ru-
binstein.

Pianoforte Solo—Sovilla (Sovil-
lanea) (Albeniz)....Arthur Ru-
binstein.

Song—Down Vauxhall Way (Oli-
ver)....Mavis Bennett (Spor-
ano).

Song—Pretty Mocking Bird (Bis-
hop)....Mavis Bennett (Spor-
ano).

Cello Solo—Sarabande (Suzer
Op. 8)....W. H. Squire.

Song—The Lute Player (Allitsen).

Song—The Floral Dance (Moss)....
Peter Dawson (Bass Baritone).

Violin Solo—Ave Maria (Schu-
bert, arr. Wilhelm)....Naum
Blinder.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins.

London 1 p.m. Stock and Com-
modity Quotations.

9.35-10 p.m. Variety.....
Organ Solos—Broadway Thru a
Keyhole.....Selection.

Organ Solos—Take a Chance
Selection—Terance Casey.

Song—One Morning in May.....
Derickson and Brown.

Mandolin Solo—Mazur.

Banjo Solo—Keyboard Kapers....
Mario de Pietro.

Vocal—Tom Costello in Song
memories.....Tom Costello and
Chorus.

10 p.m. Close Down.

DAVENTRY PROGRAMME

9.45 p.m. Time Signal from B.S.
Ben. News Bulletin.

1.00 p.m. Effie Atherton and Ron-
ald Hill, say Hello Again! a
light revue.

10.45 p.m. The Buxton Municipal
Orchestra, (leader, Thomas
Matthews), conducted by Hor-
ace Fellowes, relayed from the
Pavilion Gardens, Buxton.

11.15 p.m. Living Dangerously
Adventures in Q Boats, a talk
by Lieutenant Thomas Hughes
D.S.C., R.N.R.

11.30 p.m. The Buxton Municipal

SOVIET ENTRY TO LEAGUE

Complete Agreement
Reached

Geneva, Sept. 15.

A complete agreement has been
reached with the Soviet repre-
sentatives regarding the procedure
of the Soviet entry to the League.

The formalities regarding her
entry are expected to be com-
pleted early next week.

Those States which did not
accept the first French draft
invitation have also approved the
procedure.

The Soviet Foreign Commissar,
M. Maxim Litvinoff, has replied
satisfactorily regarding the plans
to admit the Soviet to the League,
according to French quarters,
who now anticipate a smooth
passage for further procedure.

Turkish quarter claim that they
are sure to gain a seat on the
League Council and allege that
they have more than sufficient
promises to defeat China's hope
of securing the vote of re-
ligibility.

Reuter.

MYSTERY WOMAN ARRESTED

Grand Duchess
Tatiana

(Special to "Hong Kong
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Belgrade, Sept. 15.

The police have arrested a
mysterious woman who gave her-
self out as the Grand Duchess
Tatiana, one of the late Tsar's
daughters, as well as her com-
panion who described himself as a
Warsaw doctor. The police in-
terrogated the couple and have
established the fact that the wo-
man spoke broken Russian and was
ignorant of the English language
which the Tsar's children learned
from their cradle.

Enquiries are being made in
Warsaw regarding the couple's
identity. The authorities here sus-
pect the couple intended to de-
fraud charitable persons by trad-
ing on their sympathy for the
Russian Imperial family.

Transocean Kuo Min.

Orchestra (leader, Thomas
Matthews), conducted by Hor-
ace Fellowes (contd.), relayed
from the Pavilion Gardens,
Buxton.

1.45 p.m. Time Signal from
Greenwich. A sonata recital
by Florence Hooton (violin-
cello) and Dorothy Manley (piano-
forte).

2.15 mid-night. The B.B.C. Dance
Orchestra, directed by Henry
Hall.

1.00 a.m. News Bulletin.

1.15-1.45 p.m. The Midland Stu-
dio Orchestra, directed by
Frank Cantell, from a Birming-
ham studio.

RADIO MANILA

4.00 p.m.—Studio Classics.

5.15 p.m.—Recitations by Charles
F. Lindsay.

5.30 p.m.—Practice Hour—Conser-
vatory of Music.

6.10 p.m.—Spanish Informational
Period.

6.30 p.m.—English Informational
Period.

7.00 p.m.—Studebaker Champions—
Manila Motor Co.

7.30 p.m.—Malabon Sugar Company
Sponsorship.

7.45 p.m.—Songs of the Philippines.
8.00 p.m.—Princess Pat—Sponsored
by F. H. Stevens and Co.

8.05 p.m.—Requests.

8.30 p.m.—Chevrolet Jamboree—
Pacific Commercial Co.—Chev-
rolet Orchestra, Lorine Nash,
Johnny Harris and Ramon
Mendoza.

9.30 p.m.—Dance Programmes.

10.30 p.m.—Sign Off.

BERLIN PROGRAMME

6.00 p.m. Dja Announcement
Germ. Engl.

German Folk Song
Programme—Forecast (German,
English).

8.15 p.m. Music for seven string-
ed-instruments by Rudi Step-
han.

The Lohar Rittnerhoff Quartet

9.45 p.m. News Bulletin (English).

10.00 p.m. Light Music

CHINA COAST OFFICERS

Changes And
Promotions

China Navigation Co.

Capt. E. H. Histed, of the Kan-
chow, has gone command, Kwel-
yang.

Capt. F. H. W. Graybrook, of
the Kwelyang, has gone command,
Kanchow.

Capt. D. C. Cameron, of the
Kian, has gone chief officer,
Chungking.

Mr. E. H. Mutton, sup'y chief
officer, from reserve, has gone
chief officer, Kanchow.

Mr. W. Forrester, sup'y chief
officer, Kanchow, has gone chief
officer, Wenchow.

Mr. J. J. Spring, chief officer,
Chungking, has gone chief officer,
Chinhua.

Mr. A. G. Parker, chief officer,
Chinhua, has gone sup'y chief
officer, Shuntien.

Mr. J. P. Ross, sup'y second
officer, from in transit, is on re-
serve.

Mr. P. Swan, sup'y second
officer, Kanchow, has gone
second officer, Shuntien.

Mr. F. A. C. Taylor, second
officer, Shuntien, is on reserve.

Mr. C. E. Duncan, sup'y second
officer, Yenchow, has gone second
officer, Luchow.

Mr. L. V. Pavillard, second
officer, Luchow, has gone second
officer, Newchwang.

Mr. E. L. Edwards, second
officer, Newchwang, has gone sup'y
second officer, Kiating.

Mr. A. J. T. Halley, sup'y second
officer, from reserve, has gone
third officer, Anking.

Mr. P. H. Todd, sup'y chief
engineer officer, from short leave,
has gone chief engineer officer,
Yingchow.

Mr. H. S. Beech, sup'y chief
engineer officer, from short leave,
has gone chief engineer officer,
Chengtu.

Mr. K. McDonald, sup'y second
engineer officer, Kintang, has gone
second engineer officer, Wenchow.

Mr. W. Curran, second engineer
officer, Tatuig, is on short leave.

Mr. H. McDonald, second en-
gineer officer, from home leave,
has gone sup'y second engineer
officer, Kintang.

Mr. S. W. Weldon, sup'y third
engineer officer, from short leave,
has gone third engineer officer,
Kintang.

Mr. J. A. Stewart, sup'y third
engineer officer, Kintang, is on
short leave.

Mr. J. Donnell, acting third en-
gineer officer, Szechuen, has re-
signed.

Mr. A. Madden, from shore, has
gone acting third engineer officer,
Szechuen.

Mr. J. Smith, jr. third engineer
officer, Shengking, has gone third
engineer officer, Newchwang.

Mr. N. E. Ball, third engineer
officer, Newchwang, has gone third
engineer officer, Shengking.

China Merchant S. N. Co.

Capt. Y. S. Wong, of the Kien
Kuo, is on short leave.

Mr. Hu Shih Yuan has gone
acting master, Kien Kuo.

Mr. Jameson Chang, chief
officer, Kien Kuo, is on short leave.

Mr. Lee Hing Kong, acting
second officer, Kien Kuo, has gone
acting chief officer, the same
ship.

Mr. Sheng Chuan Hai has gone
acting second officer, Kiang Ta.

Mr. Sze Chi Ling, acting second
officer, Kiang Ta, has resigned.

Mr. Yu Ying Sung has gone
acting second officer, Tai Shun.

Mr. Yen Wei Nie, acting second
officer, Tai Shun, has gone acting
second officer, Kien Kuo.

Mr. Chang Yel Wen has gone
acting second engineer officer, Tai
Shun.

Mr. Wong Yang Sang, acting
second engineer officer, Tai Shun,
has resigned.

Mr. Woo Ming Ting, third en-
gineer officer, Kien Kuo, is on
short leave.

Mr. Wang Wen Chao has gone
acting third engineer officer, Kien
Kuo.

Mr. Li Siao Yu, third engineer
officer, Hai Jui, is on short leave.

Mr. Loo Kuo Shun has gone
acting third engineer officer, Hai
Jui.

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"HIPS! HIPS! HOORAY"

At The Oriental Theatre

Those motorists who are never happy unless their automobiles are equipped with every gadget that imaginative accessory firms can conceive of and produce, may find illuminative tips in the latest Wheeler and Woolsey musical extravaganza "Hips! Hips! Hooray," featuring Ruth Etting, Thelma Todd and Dorothy Lee.

In this hilarious venture into gagdom, the two comedy stars at various times own motorcars containing cook-stoves and auto-powered coffee grinders. In one thrilling race sequence Wheeler and

"LITTLE MAN, WHAT NOW?"

Very Human Story

One of the most human stories to come to the screen, "Little Man, What Now?" opened its run at the King's Theatre yesterday and it was a significant fact that the audiences that were attracted to all the performances were practically all "grown up" people. The leading roles are taken by that rising actress, Margaret Sullivan and Douglas Montgomery and it would be no exaggeration to say that they live their parts. They represent the modern couple, with barely enough money to support themselves when the first child arrives. That however, is but only one of their difficulties and in short the future takes the shape of one sheet of black cloud.

They fight their uphill battle with a grit and courage that is a credit to them, especially the wife who refuses to admit defeat, come what may, and it is because of the attitude she adopts right through a difficult life that she eventually finds a way out to happiness for all concerned.

The story is a very touching one because it is so true to life. There are many people who will perhaps be the happier for seeing it for it teaches us how to "smile and whistle under all difficulties." The picture is one of the most illuminating films shown on the local screen for many a long day and for that reason alone it should not be missed.

Woolsey are the pilots of a speed creation to which they attach rails in order that they may gain a few miles and minutes by sliding down the side of a snow-covered mountain, rather than remain on a long and winding road.

Supporting the comedy pair in their buffooning is an outstanding cast of beautiful girls shown in eye-opening scenes. Bert Kalmor and Harry Ruby wrote "Tired of It All," "Keep Romance Alive" and "Keep on Doin' What You're Doin'," which are sung by Ruth Etting.

The picture is being shown at the Oriental Theatre to-day and to-morrow.

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LITTLE MAN, WHAT NOW?

NEXT CHANGE CLARK GABLE—CLAUDETT COLBERT IN "IT HAPPENED ONE NIGHT"

"HOLLYWOOD PARTY"

Laughter At The Queen's

"Hollywood Party" which opened to crowded houses at the Queen's Theatre yesterday is a picture which should suit everybody's taste, and as such is well worth seeing.

Music, drama, comedy and thrills are all provided and with such well-known comedians, Laurel and Hardy, Jimmy Durante, Lupe Valez, Polly Moran and Charles Butlerworth in the cast, the picture, needless to say, affords laughter from end to finish.

The story deals with the rivalry of "Scharzan" (Jimmy Durante) and his rival "Londora" (George Givot) who are trying to cheat each other out of a cargo of new lions for their motion pictures. Durante gives a great party and

"TARZAN AND HIS MATE"

And Some Monkey Tricks!

Watching a chimpanzee prance about in a tree may be fun for spectators in a picture theatre—but the Simians are no picnic for the assistant director.

And none can testify more loudly than the production expert who handled the chimps during the filming of "Tarzan and His Mate," new adventure picture coming on Thursday to the Queen's Theatre with Johnny Weissmuller and Maureen O'Sullivan in featured roles.

One of the biggest difficulties in safeguarding a chimpanzee's health, "They are as delicate as newborn babes and have to be coddled like youngsters. Their quarters must be insulated against cold and dampness. A strict diet schedule is maintained with carefully balanced portions of fruit mush and other food.

When one is safely delivered to a set for a day's work he is turned loose by the assistant with fervent prayers that all will be well. As soon as the "chimp" discovers that he is free and under his own power, things begin to happen. First he climbs the very tallest tree or pole on the set. When his curiosity is satisfied from that vantage point he begins an investigation of every article in sight.

After he settles down somewhat the action of a scene may be tried with everything depending on the "chimp." In one sequence he approached a group composed of Maureen O'Sullivan, Neil Hamilton and Paul Cavanaugh. They were to hand him a cup of coffee with the hope that he would drink.

Director Cedric Gibbons motioned for action. The players poured out the coffee and handed the "chimp" the cup. He looked at it for a minute, watched to see what the others were doing, and then carefully poured the contents on his head!

Such performances were continued through each day's work, providing plenty of amusement for everyone—except the assistant director.

invites all the Hollywood stars in order to induce Baron Munchausen (Jack Pearl) to sell him the lions. The arrival of Laurel and Hardy as lion tamers and Lupe Valez, the tiger woman, soon makes the party into an hilarious uproar, and through all this comedy runs a love story between June Clyde and Eddie Quilian and a burlesque love affair between Jimmy Durante and Polly Moran.

Several musical numbers are interpolated in the film, including Mickey Mouse and his Chocolate Soldiers, "Hello," a spectacular number in a glass and cellophane setting, and these alone are well worth a visit to the Queen's.

A GREAT TEAM

Gable and Colbert Together

Motion picture fans who have been waiting with keen delight for the initial local showing of Columbia's "It Happened One Night," the widely-touted romantic screen comedy co-starring Clark Gable and Claudette Colbert together on the screen for the first time in their distinguished careers, will be appeased with the news that the film opens on Thursday at the King's Theatre.

Gable, to-day, is undoubtedly the most popular masculine stellar figure on the screen. He scored a meteoric rise to film prominence with outstanding portrayals in "The Easiest Way," "Strange Interlude," "Hell Divers," "The Secret Six" and others but his performance in "It Happened One Night" is said to top them all for artistry and effectiveness, a fact for which he is deeply indebted to Director Frank Capra.

Miss Colbert enjoys nearly as great a following as Gable's for her work in recent pictures has boomed her stock immensely, and she's streaking upward like a skyrocket. Fans will remember her sterling performances in "The Phantom President," "Sign of the Cross," "Torch Singer," "To-night Is Ours" and "The Smiling Lieutenant."

Frank Capra, whose recent pictures, including his record-breaking, "Lady For A Day," stamp him as one of Hollywood's finest megaphone welders, was assigned to direct the picture.

"It Happened One Night" tells the story of a young newspaper man en route from Miami to New York by bus. On the road he recognizes Ellen Andrews, a runaway heiress, for whose return her father has offered a huge reward. The girl is totally spoiled and unable to care for herself so he takes her under his wing, protects her from mashers and bluffs off others' intent on securing the reward. He treats the girl with indifference, tells her she's spoiled, worthless and helpless, but nevertheless insists on taking her to her newly-acquired husband in New York.

They lose baggage and money and are forced to proceed north on foot, sleeping in strawstacks and pawning their belongings for enough to provide meals. They fall in love of course but that's telling just a bit too much about the plot.

The supporting cast includes Walter Connolly, Roscoe Karns and Jameson Thomas, with Alan Hale, Blanche Frederici, Wallis Clark, George Breakston and a score of other well-known players in small but important roles.

Bill Jennings, the former Welsh International half-back of Bolton Wanderers, is to act as coach to Cardiff City. Bill was in the running for the manager's position with Swansea Town, recently given to Neil Harris, the former Newcastle United centre-forward.

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

HONG KONG

KING'S:—"Little Man, What Now?"
QUEEN'S:—"Hollywood Party"
CENTRAL:—"I'll Tell The World"
ORIENTAL:—"Hips Hips Hooray"

KOWLOON

ALHAMBRA:—"Top Speed"
MAJESTIC:—"Jennie Gerhardt"

Coming

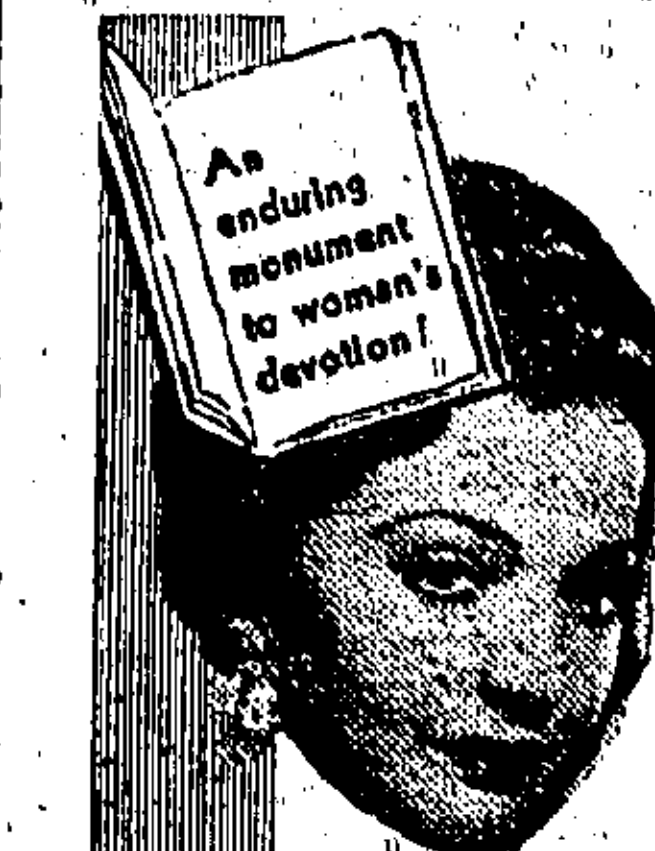
KING'S:—"It Happened One Night"
ALHAMBRA:—"As The Earth Turns"
"Wonder Bar"

STAR:—"Queen Christina"
"You Can't Buy Everything"

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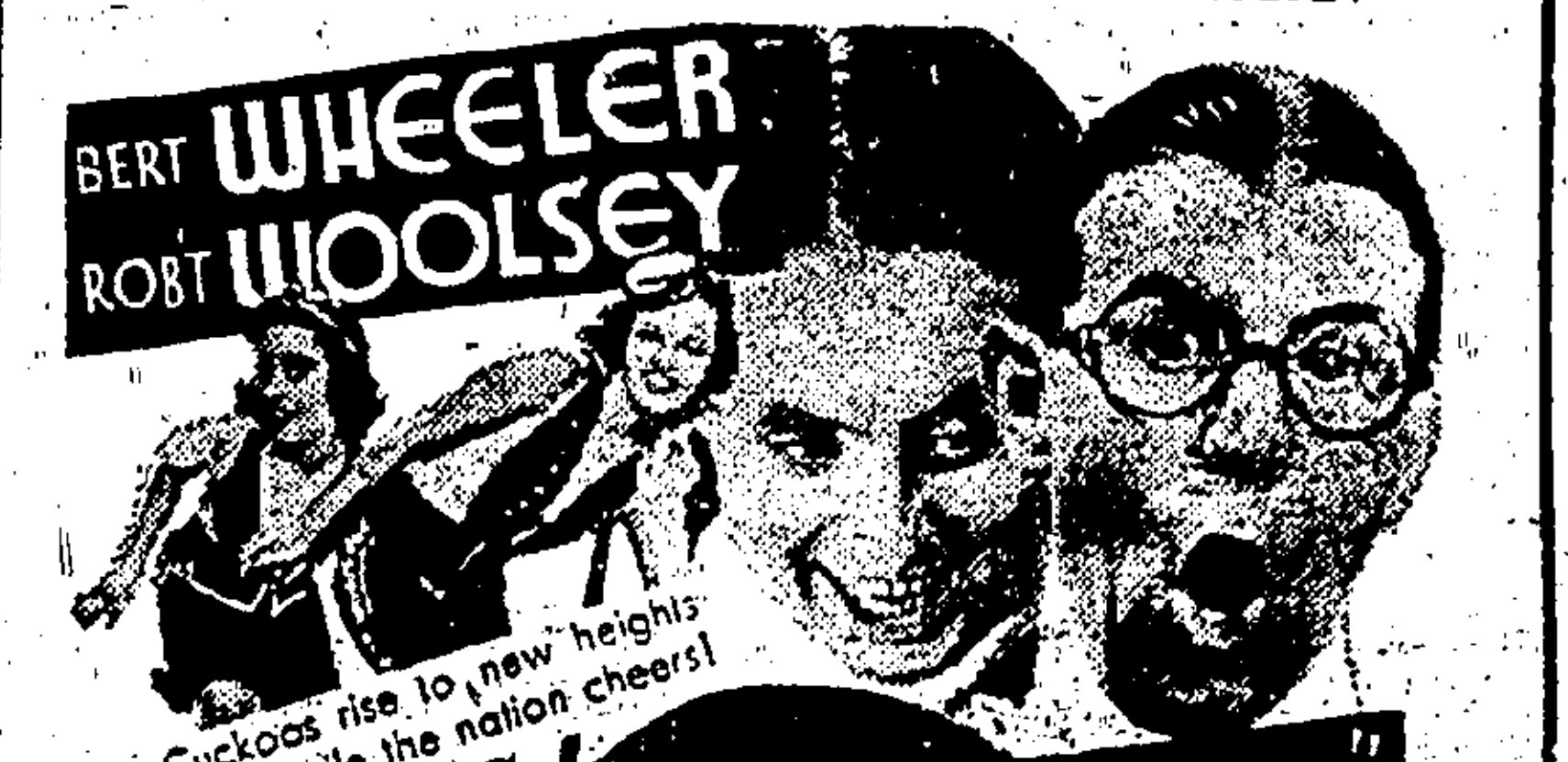
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Freedom of the air is a goal which many enthusiastic armchair think ought easily to be obtained. In practice, however many countries are jealous in guarding their rights against foreign air lines. For the most part no objection is raised to foreign aircraft passing over the country and landing in it. The objection is made when passengers are picked up in the foreign country and landed at another aerodrome. In it, The Government of India felt constrained to make rules against that practice by the French and Dutch air lines, which regu-

larly flew across India before any British line did so.

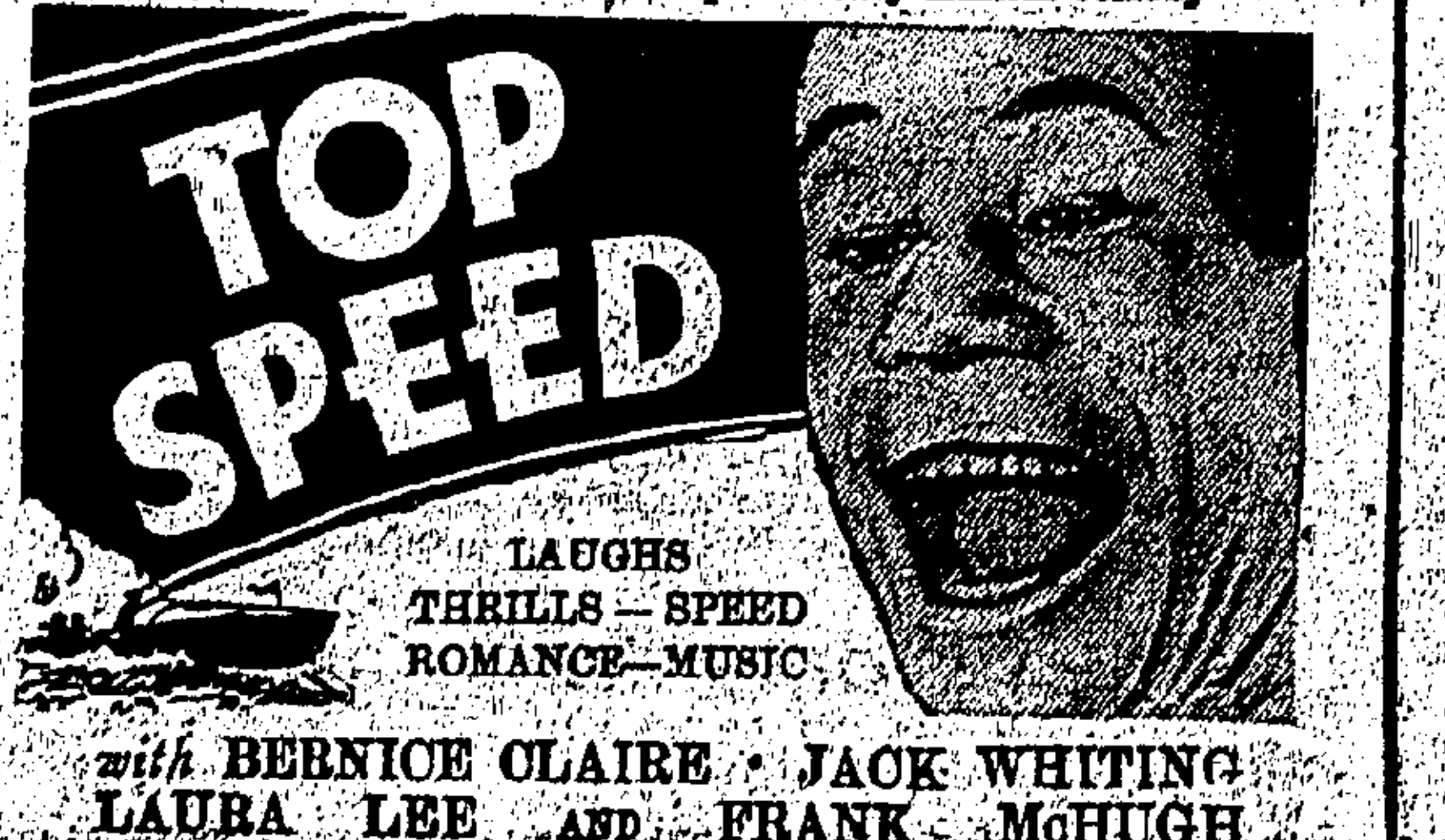
Imperial Airways have found a succession of problems in their plans to link up with their flying-boats in the Mediterranean. Their first port was Genoa. Then discussions arose with Italy, and Salonika had to be substituted. At present Brindisi is the port, but between Paris and Brindisi the journey has to be made by train. Now the Italians have consented to British flying-boats from Marseilles crossing Italy, but France in turn has made difficulties over the section from Paris to Marseilles. Bargaining is proceeding, and a solution before long is hoped for by air passengers who dislike train journeys.

Jack Gordon, a half-back who played for Rochdale last season and was formerly with Leeds United, has signed for Queen of the South, the Scottish First Division club.

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AROUND THE COURTS

PICK-POCKET IN TROUBLE

A Chinese named Lui Tim, aged 42 years, described as an unemployed, was convicted by Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court on Saturday morning, on a charge of stealing a purse from a Chinese pedestrian last Friday night, and was sentenced to hard labour for a year.

The incident occurred in Queen's Road Central when the accused attempted to lift the purse from a Chinese pedestrian, but was noticed by the complainant who immediately raised an alarm and had the accused arrested.

When searched at the station by a Chinese detective, a sharp blade was also found in the accused's pocket.

UNLAWFUL POSSESSION OF OPIUM

Before Mr. Hamilton at the Central Magistrate's Court on Saturday morning, a Chinese named Choy Yee was charged with illegal possession of ten tael of raw opium.

It was stated by the Police that the accused was arrested in Connaught Road Central and the raw opium was found hidden in his wooden clogs.

The defendant pleaded guilty and told the Court that he was asked by a friend to carry the opium to a certain place for a small sum of money as reward.

A fine of \$300 or in default three months' hard labour was imposed.

THEFT OF A RADIATOR CAP

Before Mr. Hamilton at the Central Police Court on Saturday morning, an unemployed Chinese named Cheung Kim Hung was charged with theft of a radiator cap from private car No. 3393, which was parked in Elgin Street shortly after 7 o'clock last Friday night.

After being arrested, the accused told the Chinese detective where the car was parked, and it was then discovered that the article belonged to a Chinese resident.

The accused pleaded guilty and was sentenced to three months' imprisonment with hard labour.

Two money changers, Fung Wah and Fung Hing, who were alleged to have uttered counterfeit coins at No. 151 Connaught Road Central, were arrested on Saturday by Sub-Inspector Cunningham. They will probably be charged before Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistrate's Court to-day.

As the result of a raid, led by Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit, on No. 5 Heard Street on Friday, Wong Tak, 23, was charged before Mr. Hamilton on Saturday with being in possession of 15,000 tael of raw opium. Mr. Grimmit asked for a remand until Wednesday, saying that there were several

bundles of cowhides, where the opium was hidden, to be cut open. He said that the quantity of opium was estimated to be from 15,000 to 16,000 tael. The case was remanded until Wednesday for hearing.

On a charge of obtaining money by false pretences, F. Goodman was remanded in police custody by the District Officer, South on Saturday. The defendant is alleged to have obtained \$50 from some villagers in Tai On on August 18, on the pretence that he was a Customs officer.

Said to have been found by a blind man, three automatic pistols, one revolver and 293 rounds of ammunition were ordered to be confiscated by Mr. Hamilton at Central Magistrate's Court on Saturday.

Sergeant Harris said that on Friday evening a 52-year-old blind man, Fung Chun, brought the arms to the steps of the Guards Office, of No. 7 Police Station, saying that he wanted to hand them over to the Government.

The blind man told the Police that he found them while fishing for clams in the harbour at Sai Ying Pun. Sergeant Harris added that his story satisfied the Police.

"You cannot go collecting debts by kicking people in the stomach," said Mr. E. I. Wynne Jones at Kowloon Magistrate's Court on Saturday when sentencing Wong Yau, a 25-year-old workman, to five days' hard labour, with the option of paying a fine of \$4, for assaulting Wong Fuk-hing, a contractor living at No. 52 Ta Pu, Hing Street, first floor, at 5 p.m., on September 10.

Mr. Hamilton at Central Magistrate's Court on Saturday granted the application of Mr. C. B. Robertson, of the Public Works Department for the closure of Nos. 38 and 40 Queen's Road Central, where the roof collapsed a few days ago.

The order was taken out against Kam Ham-hing, sub-lessee of the premises, for whom Mr. W. K. Robinson, of Messrs. Tso and Hodgson, appeared.

The order of closure was issued on the ground that the walls were in dangerous condition and that the building was constructed with ineffective material.

CLOSE RACE FOR BOWLS HONOURS

Craigengower And Kowloon
 B.G.C. At Head Of Senior
 Division

Craigengower Cricket Club are now once again in a definitely advantageous position with regard to the race for honours in the senior division of the lawn bowls league. On Saturday they defeated Civil Service C.C. in a convincing manner on the latter's ground. They now share the top position in the league table with the Kowloon Bowling Green Club, having obtained 24 points, but they have played one game less than the Peninsula Club.

In the junior division, the Indian R.C. after winning the championship lost their match against the Yacht Club. The defeat, however, makes no difference to the destination of the league honours.

RESULTS AT A GLANCE

SENIOR DIVISION

C.S.C.C. (51)	47	C.C.C. "A" (44)	72
C.C.C. "B" (—)	76	K.D.R.C. (—)	38
Police (55)	64	Recreio (54)	69

JUNIOR DIVISION

C.C.C. (68)	63	C.S.C.C. (49)	69
I.R.C. (60)	48	R.H.K.Y.C. (58)	75
Recreio (88)	51	Police (38)	72
H.K.F.C. (—)	65	Electric (—)	43

LEAGUE TABLES

Senior Division			
	P.	W.	L. Pts.
Craigengower "A"	14	12	2 24
K.B.G.C.	15	12	3 24
Civil Service	15	8	7 16
Recreio	14	8	6 16
Craigengower "B"	14	6	8 12
Police R.C.	14	5	9 10
Talkoo Docks	14	5	9 10
Kowloon C.C.	14	5	9 10
Kowloon Docks	14	3	11 6

Junior Division			
	P.	W.	L. Pts.
Indian R.C.	17	14	3 28
K.B.G.C.	16	11	5 22
Police R.C.	16	11	5 22
Yacht Club	15	8	7 16
Craigengower	15	7	9 14
H.K. Electric	16	7	9 14
Kowloon C.C.	16	7	9 14
Civil Service	15	6	9 12
Recreio	17	6	11 12
Football Club	16	4	12 8

SENIOR DIVISION

C.C.C. SUCCEEDS
 In the match between the Craigengower C.C. and the Civil Service, the former won on all three rinks. Strengthened by the return of the interlopers, the C.C.C. scored rink victories as follows:—Bradbury's rink beat Deakin's by 25-14; Omar's rink beat Hollidge's by 21-15 and R. Basa's rink beat F. J. Jones by 25-8.

DOCKS TROUNCED
 The Kowloon Dock Bowls team was trounced to the tune of 78-38 by the Craigengower "B" team at Happy Valley. J. Cavanagh's rink was responsible for the big margin of victory as they came 43 shots to 9 better than Craig's rink.

RECREIO BEAT I.R.C.
 The Club de Recreio accounted for the Police on the latter's ground winning by 69 shots to 64. The Police won on two rinks but the comparatively big margin scored by C. G. Silva's rink over W. E. Hollands (27-15) turned the scales in favour of Recreio.

JUNIOR DIVISION

YACHT CLUB TRIUMPHS OVER I.R.C.
 Playing with a slightly weakened team, the Indian R.C., who were at home to the Yacht were heavily trounced, the visitors winning on all three rinks. The Yacht Club amassed a total of 75 points as against the Indian's 48.

POLICE BEAT RECREIO
 At Kowloon, the Club de Recreio's second string were beaten by the Police by 72 shots to 51. Carey's rink accounted for 23 shots. MacHardy was 7 up but Glendenning went under by 9 shots.

C.S.C.C. WINS
 Playing on the Craigengower C.C.'s ground, the Civil Service juniors won in a close match by 69 shots to 63. Here also, the losers won on two out of three rinks, getting six shots to the good, but a defeat of 12 shots in the rink skipped by W. K. Way spelt defeat for them.

FOOTBALLERS
 The Football Club are determined to go through the season in great style and despite their many reverses this year they are as keen as ever. They accounted for the Electric R.C. on Saturday in convincing manner winning by 65 shots to 43.

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CONFUCIUS AND MODERN SOCIETY

Unjust And Unreasonable Conceptions

(By WANG CHING WEI, President of the Executive Yuan)
(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press")

(Continued from Saturday)

Even to-day among simple country people in China there are those who spill a little wine on the ground before a feast as a grateful offering to the departed worthies of ancient time who first discovered the arts of cooking and making liquor. If we throw away all idea of indebtedness to the past, then our nation will degenerate to such a degree as to be incapable of being rejuvenated. Confucius handed down to us a great culture, full of learning and inspiring thoughts, and of course he expected us in turn to discover new truths and make additions to what he had accomplished, and so keep up with the times. It was clearly for this reason that he taught his followers, "Renew your virtues every day" and "Advance in your virtues."

We have not been able to shoulder the responsibility of taking the teachings of Confucius and passing them to rising generations, yet we blame the leader of more than 2,000 years ago for all the defects and weaknesses of China to-day! How absurd and fallacious is such manner of hinking! We must know that what is regarded as culture, and learning, and thought are the intellectual sum total of the human race past and present. Every person who occupies a certain amount of space in this world and lives for some tens of years in point of time, should endeavour to contribute some of his or her knowledge as an addition to that intellectual sum total, in order that culture may continue to develop. By our strenuous efforts at the present time we are adding to the achievements of the past, adding new links to an unbroken chain which will be unceasingly renewed day by day by those who come after us. To curse the past and to curse the future are sins equally unpardonable.

"Never One Like Confucius"

During the last generation or two there have been some who said that Confucian teaching has been so uniquely honoured and supreme simply because after the reign of Wu Ti, of the Han Dynasty (140-88 B.C.) Confucian learning was exalted and all other teachers were denounced and suppressed. These traditional stories are not historically accurate. We should know that before Wu Ti although there were various philosophers and writers they were each an authority unto himself, such as Lao-tzu, who wrote the "Tao Te Ching," Chuang Tzu, who wrote the "Nan-Hua Ching" and others. There was never one like Confucius who edited the Book of Odes, the Book of Rites, the Book of Changes, and the Annals.

Spring and Autumn. Confucius took Chinese culture and arts and thoughts which existed before his time and worked them into a definite ethical system to pass down to posterity. The Classics were burned during the Chin Dynasty only to reappear after being dictated by word of mouth and re-written by willing hands.

It is true that alien races conquered China more than once, politically and militarily, but they could not prevail over China's culture, and all her learning and thinking. As for the Chinese people, although the nation more than once lost its sovereignty, the Chinese race never ceased to exist, and indeed revived to such an extent as actually to conquer their conquerors. When we recognize this significant fact we must also realize that Confucius has not only been the chief representative of China's culture for some two thousand years, but he has also been the intellectual father of all the Chinese people, and is not to be put in the same class or category with his contemporary philosophers and other writers. We have no religious founder in Confucius, but we have a great teacher in him—one who has been our intellectual leader and pioneer in many ways. Not only has this fact been the glory of China, but it has also been our fortune. To deprecate and under-estimate the

influence of Confucius upon China, is merely to show one's ignorance of Chinese life and culture.

Now the Central Party has decided to correct the unjust and unreasonable conceptions in regard to Confucius, and has passed an important resolution for commemorating the birthday anniversary of the Sage, an occasion which Government organizations, educational institutions, and all other public organizations have observed with sincerity and respect.

"A Few Thoughts"

The theme of the greatness of Confucius cannot be exhausted in the brief space of this article, nor is a layman like myself qualified to handle so vast and intricate a subject. What I am writing to-day is no more than a few thoughts which I have felt deeply in my heart.

It seems to me that the spirit of morality or virtue is unchangeable throughout the ages, but the content and conditions or forms of morality progress with time. Let me illustrate this point with the word "Jen," or benevolence. What Confucius termed "benevolence" is a principle just as unchangeable as that which the Buddha termed "love." If no human being has a kind heart, then it is as if there is no world and no humanity. There must first be kind hearts; this, I am sure, is a point not open to argument. Now, as to the conditions or form and content of "benevolence," ideas on this point certainly progress as time goes on. For example, Confucius said, "To be a ruler, one should aim at benevolence." The ideal of Confucius was, "The country is for the people; choose the good and able for officials," but in his day the Government was a monarchy, and the Emperor and feudal Princes held hereditary positions. Therefore Confucius merely said that a ruler should be kind to the people. Now in our Republic all people are equal, with no distinction between rulers and ruled, between the upper and the lower classes. This is an illustration of my point that while the vital importance of the principle of benevolence is unchangeable, the conditions—the meaning—of benevolence changes with the passing of time toward a higher level or ideal.

Another Example

We may take another example. Confucius did not oppose the taking of concubines or the keeping of men and women slaves. He only taught, "Be close to your relatives and be kind to the people; be kind to the people and love animals and things." But nowadays it is considered wrong to have concubines and slaves, no matter whether we treat them well or not, for fundamentally such conduct is a sin against society. This is another illustration of my contention that the conception of benevolence as a guiding principle does not change, but the specific conditions or forms and contents of benevolence make progress with the times.

(To Be Continued)

NO PASSPORT

On a charge of entering the Colony without a valid passport, Antonio Martos, a Peruvian, was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour by Mr. Hamilton at Central Magistracy on Saturday.

It was stated that accused came to the Colony over 10 years ago and was employed as a fireman on board the Post Office launch during the strike.

In 1923 accused was sentenced to a month's imprisonment for being absent from the House of Detention. He was again sentenced in 1925 for intoxication. He then went to Macao, where he joined the Volunteers for two years.

About two months ago accused came to the Colony from Shanghai and was arrested last week for entering without a valid passport.

FROM THE GAZETTE

Appointments And Notifications

The following appointments and notifications are taken from the "Gazette":—

The name of Mr. Hugh Braga has been added to the list of authorized architects.

Mr. L. C. F. Bellamy, M.C. is to be a member of the Sanitary Board for a further term of three years.

Rev. C. J. Brown has been appointed a member of the Committee to administer the Mercantile Marine Assistance Fund of Hong Kong, in place of Rev. G. T. Waldegrave.

Miss Dorothy Brazier has been appointed a Probation Officer in connection with the Juvenile Offenders' Ordinance; the Salvation Army Home, 2 Embankment Road, Kowloon, has been appointed a place for the detention of offenders.

A bankruptcy notification states that a second dividend of \$13 per cent. has been declared in the case of Julius Holm, clerk, of 298 Lockhart Road.

The Hong Kong Police Pensions Regulations are being amended. Amongst the changes is the rescinding of Regulation 26 and its replacement by the following:— "An officer who retires on account of infirmity of mind or body and who has not completed the minimum period of service in the Police Force qualifying for a pension, may be granted a gratuity at a rate not exceeding 1/14th of his salary for each completed month of service."

Mr. T. Kohri is recognised, pending instructions from the Secretary of State for the Colonies, as in charge of the Consulate General for Japanese in Hong Kong.

DEATH OF CAPT. GRIFFITHS

Well Known Figure On China Coast

An well known figure in local shipping circles, Captain Bosworth Griffiths passed away on Saturday following a brief illness, being a victim of typhoid. Captain Griffiths was master of the s.s. Kalapoi, of Messrs. Williamson and Company. He was a native of Christchurch, New Zealand. Taken ill recently at Amoy, he was rushed to Hong Kong, when he was admitted to the Kowloon Hospital. His condition, however, did not improve and he sank rapidly.

The funeral took place on Saturday, the Rev. Dr. Ellen officiating at the graveside. There were many friends in attendance, including the widow and three children of the deceased. "Floral tributes were sent by:— "Your beloved wife," Your loving mother and sister, Your beloved children George, Roland, Raymond, and baby, Captain and officers of the s.s. Kalapoi, Captain and officers s.s. Kamona, Messrs. Williamson and Company, Captain and officers s.s. Kaitangata, Captain and officers s.s. Seistan, Captain and officers s.s. Kaituna, T. Ramsay, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Engelbert and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Pivertau, R. Darling (Williamson and Co.), J. T. and C. Lang, Frederic Tyson, J. Harrigan (Williamson and Co.), Mr. and Mrs. J. C. L. Smith, Mrs. R. Carroll, and Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Grant. Cameron. Standard Vacuum Oil Company, Douglas Laprak and Co., Douglas Steamship Company, Ltd., and the China Coast Officers' Guild.

HEALTH BULLETIN OF EASTERN PORTS

Plague:—Rangoon, 1 death; From-Penh, 1 case; Saigon (Cholon), 1 case.
Cholera:—Calcutta, 30 cases; Madras, 21; Vizagapatam, 6; Chittagong, 1.
Small-Pox:—Madras, 7 cases; Rangoon, 1; Tuticorin, 1; Shanghai, 1.

LOCAL SOCCER SEASON COMMENCES

Borderers Make Valuable Discovery

The Colony's soccer season was officially opened on Saturday afternoon when several first and second division teams were seen in action on both sides of the harbour.

Considering the sodden state of the pitches the standard of football was high, and some keenly contested games were witnessed.

The Borderers discovered very promising talent in Hems, a right half, while Kowloon have at last unearthed two extraordinary good wingers in the Knox brothers who have arrived in the Colony with a reputation from Shanghai, where they played for the Shanghai Public School, which has produced the majority of Shanghai's European interlopers of recent years.

The Borderers, last year's League and Shield champions beat the Hong Kong Football Club by 3 goals to 1 after being led at one stage, while the juniors defeated the Club juniors by 4 goals to 1.

South China "B" secured an easy victory over the East Lanes, team by two clear goals. The Kowloon game was of a friendly nature between two Club teams.

BORDERERS WIN

On the Club ground at Happy Valley the Borderers defeated the home team by 3 goals to 1 after the civilians had led at the interval by the only goal.

The ground was not very heavy in spite of the rain but mistakes were inevitable and the game in consequence was somewhat scrappy.

Pote Hunt and Podmore, the respective pivots of the Club and Borderers, were easily the outstanding players on view while Syd Strange and Gamble made a good pair of backs for the Club. Mullane and Morrison, the Borderers, backs were also good and combined better than the Club pair.

The Club forwards with the exception of Howe and Farrow did not compare favourably with the opposition, who were much quicker on the ball.

A notable absentee from the Borderers' forward line was Hazewood, whose place was filled by Chapman, a very promising inside forward.

The most notable discovery was Hems, the visitor's right half who had the Goldman-Baldwin partnership on the left wing completely "bottled up."

Jones and Fourty were the pick of the visiting forward line while Mathias on the left wing put in many a nice centre.

Robertson played a splendid game at right half for the Club and excepting Pote Hunt and Podmore was the next best on view.

Unfortunately, I understand that Robertson will only be playing soccer until the rugby season commences when he will switch over to the latter.

Farrow opened the scoring for the Club as a result of a centre from Fowler on the right wing, robbing Howe to score past the bewildered Smith.

The Club held the lead well into the second period of the game when Fourty levelled the scores from a pass from Pallister.

During a melee round the Club goal Fourty put the Borderers ahead with a lovely shot and a few minutes from time Chapman added the third. The Club were completely outplayed during the closing stages of the game.

Club:—Rodger, Gamble and Strange; Robertson, Pote-Hunt and Tavlin; Fowler, Farrow, Howe, Goldman and Baldwin.

Borderers:—Smith, Morrison and Mullane; Hems, Podmore and Underwood; Pallister, Chapman, Fourty, Jones and Mathias.

PRACTICE GAME

Altogether a total of 19 goals were scored in a practice game held at the Kowloon Football Club on Saturday when some new talent was seen for the first time.

The Knox brothers newly arrived from Shanghai played well on the wings, accurate passing being the keynote of their game.

Elliott, whom it was rumoured was to have played for the Club but who returned to Kowloon combined well with W. Knox on the right wing while the White brothers were equally prominently featured.

Everest proved to be the soundest defender on view. The teams were picked from:—Boyes, Cutler, Bruin, Pope, Hopkins, W. Knox, Elliott, V. and G. White, D. Knox, Cord, Everest, Eastman, Hickman, Whitehead, MacDonald and Duffield.

CLUB JUNIORS LOSE

The Club juniors met their Borderer rivals in a friendly preceding the first teams' game and lost by the margin of four goals to 1.

With the game scarcely a minute old Morris stormed through the Club defence to open the scoring with a rasping drive which left von Classen, the Club's new trial goal-keeper helpless.

The Club for the majority of the game were hemmed in their own half, Morris adding another two goals to complete his hat trick while Searle, a young promising player scored the other goal for the winners.

Sharp obtained the Club's only goal as a result of opportunism, taking the Borderer keep by surprise with a snap shot.

Bitter, who made his debut for the Club as a left half made an excellent start and was the pick of the halves, while F. Nicholl was also in the limelight, clearing with precision.

Walcken worked well but lacked support from Lammert who was too intent in charging through the opposing defence on his lone some. Krilovsky was too erratic although he worked like a trojan while Fisher was up to his old tricks of attempting to back kick the ball as a means of centring.

Club:—von Classen; Krilovsky and Bitten; Bitter, Nichols and Sharp; Fisher, Walcken, Lammert, Bramble and Carr.

Borderers:—Williams; Herbert and Rees; Whelan, Court and Hayes; John, Searle, Purcell, Morris and Thomas.

LANCS. BEATEN

At Caroline Hill on Saturday South China "B," the new Senior Division entry from this Association, defeated a strong East Lanes eleven by two clear goals, although it must be said that the state of the ground was appalling and that the play favoured the Chinese more than the soldiers.

Tay Quee Liang, one of South China's trickiest forwards was too good for the opposing defence and together with Lai Sui On constituted the main danger to the Lanes defence. Lai opened the scoring from Tay's pass giving Oxford no chance at all. Tay then scored twice but these goals were disallowed for infringements of the off-side rule.

The heavy rain which fell during the interval made further play bad and as a result of a greasy ball, mistakes were plentiful.

In the second half the Chinese were continually on the rampage and scored once again through Chung. The East Lanes tried hard but were unable to reduce the deficit.

South China "B":—Wong Wah Kai; Kong Tung, Cheung Kai Lam; Wong Cho Luk, Lam Tak Po and Leung Chi Chung; Ng Po Kiu, Lai Sui Wing, George Chung, Tay Quee Liang and Lee Sik Yau.

East Lanes:—Oxford; Swain and Eckersley; Cox, Lawton and North; Sandford, Horner, Gorman, Woods and Whittington.

GAME CANCELLED

The match between the Recoelo and the Lincolns was cancelled owing to the sodden state of the King's Park ground.

YESTERDAY'S MATCH

S. China Beat St. Joseph's

Despite the assistance of three players from the first division of the South Wales Borderers, St. Joseph's lost to South China "A" by three goals to nil in a friendly encounter played at Caroline Hill yesterday. The Saints fielded nine players from the start, but after about fifteen minutes in the course of which they were already one goal down, J. T. Victor turned up and took up the position of right half.

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The winning team scored two sixes and a five in the course of the game and when the seventeenth head was reached they had obtained 35 against their opponents' twelve.

The teams were as follows: India: A. M. Omar, A. A. Razack, K. M. Omar and U. M. Omar (skip). Wales: T. Hunter, A. A. Lewis, J. Budding and F. Jones.

SUBS ARRIVE

Eightyone To Be Drawn For

The 1935 China-pony Subscription griffins were landed yesterday morning off the "Nanning." There were in all eighty-one ponies and a look over over them revealed that they are in every way up to the standard of former consignments.

The ponies will be tried out and drawn for in due course, and the dates for the drawing will be announced later.

THE TYPHOON

The Royal Observatory reported at 5.49 p.m. yesterday:—

The Pacific typhoon appears to be situated about 700 miles east of Manila, moving slowly W.N.W.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

One case of diphtheria and two of enteric fever were reported for the 24 hours ended on September 14.

A collision occurred on Saturday between motor car No. 3236 and lorry No. 1674 at Magazine Gap. The motor car's mudguard was slightly damaged.

After being knocked down by car No. 1436 in Stubbs Road, a 61-year-old Chinese woman, Kwai Yen, of No. 12 Tung Yen Street, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment on Friday evening.

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The band concert which was arranged to be held on the St. Andrew's Church grounds last night, took place in the Church Hall on account of the weather. There was a large attendance and the band of the 1st Bn. 8th Punjab Regiment (by kind permission of Lt. Col. O. St. J. Baxter and Officers) rendered a delightful programme of music.

The offices of the Supreme Court will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. during the Long Vacation, except on Public and General Holidays, when the offices will be entirely closed, and on Saturdays, when they will be open from 10 a.m. to noon subject, however, to the provisions of section 5 of the Supreme Court (Vacations) Ordinance, 1898, so far as it relates to the Criminal Sessions. The Long Vacation commences on the 20th instant, and terminates on the 17th October, 1934, (both days inclusive).

The eighth annual general meeting of the Reel Club will be held at the Helena May Institute today at 5.15 p.m.—The first practice of the season will commence immediately after the meeting and practices will be held on each successive Monday, up to November 19, in preparation for the St. Andrew's Ball, November 30, falls on a Friday this year.

If Gossip We Must

(By STREWTH)



At Mountain Lodge during the "At Home" given by His Excellency and Lady Peel recently.

The usual gaiety prevailed on Saturday at the Hong Kong Hotel, when a large and brilliant crowd assembled to make merry. Particularly attractive was Mrs.

But not! There comes a time when the soul revolts; when the tongue is covered with a rich and involuntary film; when the mind refuses to be concerned with the vagaries of women's clothes and escorts. And why not a Gossip's mind too? Can any muddled brain reader of this deplorable paragraph register a single reason for my repeating the flattering and undoubtedly accurate commonplace about the women, young or old of this Colony? Let me say at once, to avoid giving any offence, that I regard the women of the Colony (and the men too if they insist) as the best dressed, most talented and beautiful collection of people it has ever been my privilege to meet.

VAIN REPETITIONS

But why should one say it again? You see we both know it so well. I am prepared to admit that this week I have not performed all the duties of a good Gossip. Prominent social functions have wilted under my absence. I have not even been to "Saturday-night-at-one-of-the-hotels." Inevitably, with that uncanny foresight given only to brokers and gossip-writers, I knew that Miss Petunia Bunn and Dot Kerry would be there in mouse-coloured oilcloth looking lovelier than ever; that Mrs. Gubberly would be exquisitely dressed, and if possible lovelier than ever; that Priscilla Bung had a lovely new white frock and would be, inexplicably, lovelier than ever. And so did you. And so did the Abyssinian Admiral at the door (who probably knows more than we all give him credit for).

ENFIN

But why bring that up, as the ship's steward said to the passenger after "dinner." It doesn't signify, and leads us to a definition of gossip, which to my mind is the art of amiable guesswork about slight acquaintances rather than the utterance of poisonous and positive statements about friends, which seems to be the rule here.

Well never mind. Hold my horse while I spit. Admiral.

THE DRAMA

Signs and portents seem to show that Amateur theatricals are again lifting their head and getting ready for the winter season. The HKDS intends to produce two plays, one in the autumn and one in the spring. They have a big reputation to keep up, and with such fine performers as John Robertson, Mrs. Grossman, Kenneth Kemble and others it can be stated as a fact that they will give us excellent entertainment. Indeed they are so good that they are almost apt to err on the side of being over-ambitious in their choice of plays.



The Guides and Brownies

MILITARY DANCE AND TOMBOLA

The weekly dance for all ranks will be held at the Garrison Lecture Hall on Friday, commencing at 8.30 o'clock, the proceeds of which will be devoted to military charity.

On Saturday last over 600 people attended the charity tombola, the prize-winners being as follows:—W. Harris, J. W. A. die, M. Scullion, G. Davis, F. Carter, J. Butte, C. W. Ridge, F. Bucktor, G. W. Hawkes, C. Bond, R. Gould, D. Ballard, R. Smith, A. Mathews, K. Neville, A. Boggs, F. Woods, F. W. Little, G. H. Taunton, Pte. Strong, G. E. Williams, H. Tucker, R. Whitmore and M. S. Smith.

FLOOD PREVENTION WORK

Kaitang, Sept. 10.
Several portions of the dykes of the Yellow River, in Chungmou, northern Honan, have collapsed as a result of the rapid rise of the waters. The local authorities, with the aid of over 3,000 able-bodied citizens, are working desperately on the breaches to guard against eventualities.

Mr. Chen Ju-chen, Director of the Honan Provincial River Affairs Bureau, and Mr. Chang Chi-tong, Deputy-Director of the Peace Preservation Headquarters for the First Area, proceeded immediately from Chengchow to supervise the flood-prevention work.

Kuo Min.

NEWS SUMMARY

The Police and Prison Departments held their 13th. Annual Aquatic Sports Meeting at the V. R. C. on Saturday. Amongst those who attended were H. E. the Governor and Lady Peel and the Southern. Mrs. E.D.C. Wolfe presented the prizes at the conclusion of an enjoyable programme.

Playing with only ten men but with the assistance of three players of the first division of the South Wales Borderers, St. Joseph's lost to South China "A" by three goals to nil in a friendly football match at Caroline Hill yesterday.

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W. Lawson Little won the American amateur golf champion, defeating David Goldman in the final.

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"Confucius and Modern Society," the article written exclusively for the Daily Press by Mr. Wang Ching Wei, President of the

Mrs. du Précourt, another excellent and assured amateur actress, has been asked to produce a programme at the Peak Club in February. I hear that it will probably consist of three or four one-act plays, but the cast has not yet been decided.

It is rumoured too that in spite of Ronnie True's absence, Cochran's throwouts intend to give another of their hilarious musical entertainments. I think they will have a good deal of difficulty in getting a suitable band, but once that is overcome I think we can expect as good a show as last year.

IT'S AN ILL WIND

Searching my mind for further little tattle in this barren week, it occurs to me that the biggest influence was wielded by a visitor who never even reached the Colony. I mean the Typhoon. It always has a bad influence; it drives husbands to drink and wives to bridge.

Speaking of bridge, I have often thought what fun it would be to write a gossip column composed entirely of people's characteristics at the bridge table. Mrs. Grossman plays an excellent game, and so does Mrs. Smalley. Mrs. Turner is good but rather a rigid "conventional." Mrs. Coote plays splendid, rather dashing bridge with occasional purple patches. Mrs. Lewis Bryan holds enormous cards.

But perhaps not! I might get into trouble if I started talking about some of the others.

And have you heard of our Bright Young Things' latest exploits? It appears that Dress reform has reared its ugly head in one of the foremost clubs in the Colony, and that, not content with the irreproachable dinner jacket, for dancing, some of the moving spirits have imitated Joseph and adopted shirts of many colours.

Let us hope no Potiphar's wife will come along.

Executive Yuan, is continued in today's issue. The first instalment appeared in our columns on Saturday.

As a result of brilliant swimming on the last night's swimming in the Interport Series held in Shanghai, Tientsin gained the Interport Championship, securing three first and two thirds in the finals.

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V. A. Durling secured 4 for 27, while F. Zimmermann was outstanding with the bat, scoring 24, in the Kowloon Cricket Club's second trial which was played on Saturday, in spite of the rain.

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INDIA WINS

One-Sided Game On Police Green

In the International match on the Police Green yesterday, the team representing India accounted for the team representing Wales. The match was interrupted by rain and when darkness fell only seventeen heads had been played. F. J. Jones (who skipped for Wales), however, conceded the game to U. M. Omar, the Indian skip.

The winning team scored two sixes and a five in the course of the game and when the seventeenth head was reached they had obtained 35 against their opponents' twelve.

The teams were as follows: India: A. M. Omar, A. A. Razack, K. M. Omar and U. M. Omar (skip). Wales: T. Hunter, A. A. Lewis, J. Budding and F. Jones.

SUBS ARRIVE

Eightyone To Be Drawn For

The 1935 China-pony Subscription griffins were landed yesterday morning off the "Nanning." There were in all eighty-one ponies and a look over over them revealed that they are in every way up to the standard of former consignments.

The ponies will be tried out and drawn for in due course, and the dates for the drawings will be announced later.

THE TYPHOON

The Royal Observatory reported at 5.49 p.m. yesterday:—

The Pacific typhoon appears to be situated about 700 miles east of Manila, moving slowly W.N.W.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

One case of diphtheria and two of enteric fever were reported for the 24 hours ended on September 14.

A collision occurred on Saturday between motor car No. 3238 and lorry No. 1874 at Magazine Gap. The motor car's mudguard was slightly damaged.

After being knocked down by car No. 1436 in Stubbs Road, a 61-year-old Chinese woman, Kwan Yen, of No. 12 Tung Yen Street, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment on Friday evening.

A Chinese amah, Ng Kwan, of No. 13 Tai Wo Street, was sent to the Government Civil Hospital on Friday suffering from a bite received from a dog, the property of Sgt. Major Sander of Murray Barracks.

The band concert which was arranged to be held on the St. Andrew's Church grounds last night took place in the Church Hall on account of the weather. There was a large attendance and the band of the 1st Bn. 8th Punjab Regiment (by kind permission of Lt. Col. O. St. J. Baxter and Officers) rendered a delightful programme of music.

The offices of the Supreme Court will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. during the Long Vacation, except on Public and General Holidays, when the offices will be entirely closed, and on Saturdays, when they will be open from 10 a.m. to noon subject, however, to the provisions of section 5 of the Supreme Court (Vacations) Ordinance, 1898, so far as it relates to the Criminal Sessions. The Long Vacation commences on the 20th instant, and terminates on the 17th October, 1934, (both days inclusive).

The eighth annual general meeting of the Reel Club will be held at the Helena May Institute, to-day at 5.15 p.m.—The first practice of the season will commence immediately after the meeting and practices will be held on each successive Monday, up to November 19, in preparation for the St. Andrew's Ball, November 30 falls on a Friday this year.

If Gossip We Must

(By STREWTH)



At Mountain Lodge during the "At Home" given by His Excellency and Lady Peel recently

The usual gaiety prevailed on Saturday at the Hong Kong Hotel, when a large and brilliant crowd assembled to make merry. Particularly attractive was Mrs.

ENFIN

But why bring that up, as the ship's steward said to the passenger after dinner. It doesn't signify, and leads us to a definition of gossip, which to my mind is the art of amiable guesswork about slight acquaintances rather than the utterance of poisonous and positive statements about friends, which seems to be the rule here.

Well never mind. Hold my horse while I spit, Admiral.

THE DRAMA

Signs and portents seem to show that Amateur theatricals are again lifting their head and getting ready for the winter season. The HKDS intends to produce two plays, one in the autumn and one in the spring. They have a big reputation to keep up, and with such fine performers as John Robertson, Mrs. Grossman, Kenneth Kemble and others it can be stated as a fact that they will give us excellent entertainment. Indeed they are so good that they are almost apt to err on the side of being over-ambitious in their choice of plays.

VAIN REPETITIONS

But why should one say it again? You see we both know it so well. I am prepared to admit that this week I have not performed all the duties of a good Gossip. Prominent social functions have wilted under my absence. I have not even been to "Saturday-night-at-one-of-the-hotels." Inevitably, with that uncanny foresight given only to brokers and gossip-writers, I knew that Miss Petunia Bunn and Dot Kerry would be there in mouse-coloured oilcloth looking lovelier than ever: that Mrs. Gubbery would be exquisitely dressed, and if possible lovelier than ever; that Priscilla Bung had a lovely new white frock and would be, inexpressibly, lovelier than ever. And so did you. And so did the Abyssinian Admiral at the door (who probably knows more than we all give him credit for).



The Guides and Brownies

MILITARY DANCE AND TOMBOLA

The weekly dance for all ranks will be held at the Garrison Lecture Hall on Friday, commencing at 8.30 o'clock, the proceeds of which will be devoted to military charity.

On Saturday last over 600 people attended the charity tombola, the prize-winners being as follows:—W. Harris, J. W. Aisle, M. Scullion, G. Davis, F. Carter, J. Butts, C. W. Ridge, F. Bucktor, G. W. Hawkes, C. Bond, R. Gould, D. Ballard, R. Smith, A. Mathews, K. Neville, A. Boggs, F. Woods, F. W. Little, G. H. Taunton, Pte. Strong, G. E. Williams, H. Tucker, R. Whitmore and M. S. Smith.

FLOOD PREVENTION WORK

Kelung, Sept. 10:

Several portions of the dykes of the Yellow River in Chungmou, northern Honan, have collapsed as a result of the rapid rise of the waters. The local authorities, with the aid of over 3,000 able-bodied citizens, are working desperately on the breaches to guard against eventualities.

Mr. Chen Ju-chen, Director of the Honan Provincial River Affairs Bureau, and Mr. Chang Chi-long, Deputy-Director of the Peace Preservation Headquarters for the First Area, proceeded immediately from Chungchow to supervise the flood-prevention work.

Kuo Min

NEWS SUMMARY

The Police and Prison Departments held their 13th. Annual Aquatic Sports Meeting at the V. R. C. on Saturday. Amongst those who attended were H. E. the Governor and Lady Peel and Lady Southorn. Mrs. E.D.C. Wolfe presented the prizes at the conclusion of an enjoyable programme.

Playing with only ten men but with the assistance of three players of the first division of the South Wales Borderers, St. Joseph's lost to South China "A" by three goals to nil in a friendly football match at Caroline Hill yesterday.

The first of the yacht races for the America's Cup resulted in a "no contest" decision owing to expiry of the time limit, the American entry being then in the lead with half a mile to go. A full report on the race appears on Page 7.

W. Lawson Little won the American amateur golf champion, defeating David Goldman in the final.

India defeated Wales in the International Bowls match played yesterday.

"Confucius and Modern Society," the article written exclusively for the Daily Press by Mr. Wang Ching Wei, President of the

Executive Yuan, is continued in to-day's issue. The first instalment appeared in our columns on Saturday.

As a result of brilliant swimming on the last night's swimming in the Interport Series held in Shanghai, Tientan gained the Interport Championship, securing three first and two thirds in the finals.

The local football season opened unofficially on Saturday when several senior and junior teams were seen in action on both sides of the harbour.

A full programme of Home football matches was carried out over the week-end, when Sunderland were held to a draw by Aston Villa. The former, however, are still leading in the premier division with 10 points gained in six matches.

V. A. Durling secured 4 for 27, while F. Zimmermann was outstanding with the bat, scoring 24, in the Kowloon Cricket Club's second trial which was played on Saturday, in spite of the rain.

Craigsower C.C. is now in a favourable position to win the honours in the senior division of the lawn bowls league.

Captain E. Griffiths master of the S.S. Kalapoi, passed away on Saturday after a short illness.

SOVIET TO ENTER THE LEAGUE

Formal Installation On Wednesday

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")
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Geneva, Sept. 15. Soviet Russia has won her seat on the League Council as the result of a resolution passed on Saturday night by a secret session of the present Council, three members of which refrained from voting in order to make impossible the necessary unanimous election. Moscow's narrow victory on the Council seat question was followed by a similarly close decision to invite Russia to participate in the League tribunal which was signed by thirty-four members or exactly the necessary two-thirds of League members at a special assembly on Saturday noon.

The document which was conveyed at once to Litvinoff at the Italian city of Excevez in Upper Savoy formally asks Soviet Russia to present herself as a candidate "since the co-operation of Russia is of great practical use for world peace."

Russia's acceptance to both the League membership and the Council seat was received in the course of the evening. The Russian delegation will consist of forty persons including the Ambassadors to Paris and Finland, Rosenberg and Stein.

Transocean Kuo Min.

SOVIET ACCEPTANCE

Geneva, Sept. 15. The Soviet has warmly accepted the invitation to join the League.

M. Litvinoff's letter accepting the League invitation says that the Soviet undertakes to observe all international obligations and decisions binding on members in conformity with Article 1 of the covenant. The Soviet especially is glad to enter the League at a moment when the question of

amendment of the covenant in order to bring it into harmony with the Briand-Kellogg Pact and banish completely international warfare is being considered by the League.

Since Articles 12 and 13 of the covenant leave it open to States to submit disputes to arbitration or judicial settlement, the Soviet considers it necessary to make clear its opinion as such methods should not be applicable to conflicts regarding questions arising before the Soviet entry to the League.—Reuter.

A PERMANENT SEAT

Geneva, Sept. 15. The League Council this evening unanimously confirmed the previous unofficial decision to give Russia a permanent seat on the Council.

There were three abstentions, Argentine, Portugal and Panama which did not alter the unanimity of the vote.

The invitation to Russia was signed by 30 members and four Scandinavian States who sent a separate note stating that their governments will inform Moscow direct their intention to support its entry to the League.

It is expected that all the formalities in connection with the admission of the Soviet to the League of Nations will be accomplished by Tuesday and that the formal installation will take place on Wednesday.—Reuter.

NON-SIGNATORIES

Geneva, Sept. 16. All the British Dominions signed the League invitation to the Soviet except the Irish Free State, the European non-signatories being Belgium, Holland, Portugal, Luxembourg and Switzerland. The Soviet application comes before the Bureau on Monday. Subsequent formalities will be completed by Tuesday evening.—Reuter.

AMERICAN ARMS ENQUIRY

Orders From China

Washington, Sept. 14. Giving evidence at the munitions inquiry, Mr. Lammott, representative of the Du Pont de Nemours Corporation, declared that the joint representative in Shanghai of the Du Pont Corporation and the Imperial Chemicals Limited suggested in 1933 that the two companies should make representations to the United States State Department and the British Foreign Office respectively, with a view to facilitating arms shipments to Canton.

Mr. Lammott also said that he and Senator Townsend, in 1932 visited the then Assistant Secretary of State, Mr. Rogers, prior to the sale of a patented hydrogen process to the Mitsui Company in Japan and China. The company was then engaged in what were described as warlike activities, but the corporation had given him to understand that the process was not primarily for military purposes.

He added that the Corporation had paid "commission" to high Chinese officials in this sale, but pointed out that this was most unusual and not in accord with the Corporation's policy.

Mr. Lammott later declared that the Du Pont de Nemours Corporation had received reports indicating that Germany was making large quantities of high explosives, in spite of the restrictions imposed upon her by the Treaty of Versailles.

FOREIGN PROTESTS

In view of the protests from at least five Governments, censorship has been imposed on some phases of the United States munitions inquiry.

The names of Chinese officials who are alleged to have accepted commissions from the Du Pont de Nemours Corporation are being withheld from the official record on the ground that publication

AMERICAN LOANS TO CHINA

Chinese Minister Denies Misuse Of Proceeds

Shanghai, Sept. 15. The Chinese Finance Minister Mr. H. H. Kung, has expressed great surprise that the "old rumours" to the effect that the American wheat and cotton loan is being utilised for the purchase of military equipment, have been resuscitated at Washington.

Mr. Kung emphasised that the proceeds had been and would be used for productive purposes. He cited figures to show that all expenditure has so far been thus employed.—Reuter.

RESIGNATION OF SPANISH CABINET

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Madrid, Sept. 15. The Samper cabinet has postponed its resignation which has been expected to take place on Sunday and which is believed to be inevitable owing to lack of Parliamentary majority. The cabinet has decided to face Cortes when the latter reassembles on October 1, but political circles anticipate an early defeat. Meanwhile the cabinet is striving to maintain order by prohibiting all open air demonstrations until further notice.—Transocean Kuo Min.

might have political repercussions abroad.

Earlier, the Enquiry Committee privately conferred with the Secretary of State, Mr. William C. Rogers, and Mr. Daniel C. Rogers, Secretary of the Commerce Department. The Chairman, Senator P. Nye, afterwards declared: "There is no inclination and no request to soft-pedal anything. We are going right ahead and nobody has suggested we have gone too far.—Reuter.



Col. Beck, Polish Foreign Minister, whose declaration on minorities has raised a political issue which is the subject of much comment

STATEMENT ON MINORITIES

Poland's Attitude Criticised

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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London, Sept. 15.

The comments of the British Press on the situation created in Geneva by the statement of the Polish Foreign Minister, Beck on minorities, are marked by the same courteous and calm tone that characterised Sir John Simon's statement yesterday. The British papers manifest sympathy and sense of appreciation for the substance of the Polish claims but consider as inadmissible the form chosen by Beck. These views are not only expressed by conservative British papers but even by the "Daily Herald's," Geneva correspondent.

The exception to this rule was the Liberal "News Chronicle" which in a leader headed "Poland runs Amok" criticises Poland's action. The paper says that Poland's conduct in the past as a member of the League had been bad and her present action forms the climax of a malicious political career. If Poland is willing to tear to pieces one article of the Versailles Treaty it could not expect other nations to observe other articles of the same treaty by means of which her own independence had been established.

Poland appears to believe it will have a bright future on the basis of "secret political manoeuvres" which led to a German-Polish understanding. This understanding, says the paper, will probably turn out to be an understanding between the lamb and the lion. If the Polish lamb breaks away from the League it will come to a bad end.—Transocean Kuo Min.

FRENCH AMBASSADOR AT TOKYO

Calls On Mr. Hirota

Tokyo, Sept. 15. The French Ambassador to Tokyo M. Fernand Pila, called on the Japanese Foreign Minister, Mr. Koki Hirota, yesterday afternoon to dispel the misunderstanding alleged to be felt by Japan as regards the Eastern Locarno Pact. It is understood that M. Pila emphasised that the Pact was not aimed against Japan and was intended for mutual security only.—Reuter.

ALL ROUND EUROPE AIR RACE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Warsaw, Sept. 14. Over fifty thousand expectant watchers on the gaily decorated Mokotouff air ground broke into exultant cheers on Friday at 2.30 p.m. when the first of the "All Round Europe" air race arrived. This was the Polish flyer, Gedyow. Ten minutes later the German, Pasewaldt arrived when he was warmly greeted by the German Minister to Warsaw who congratulated him on his successful accomplishment. Altogether seventeen competitors completed the race.—Transocean Kuo Min.

SOUTHWEST CRITICISM OF NANKING

Government Spokesman's Answer

(Special From Our Own Correspondent.)

Shanghai, Sept. 16.

Expressing gratification of the Southwest leaders' avowed readiness to make every sacrifice for the country, a spokesman of the National Government, commenting on the Southwest telegram to the Central authorities, declares that destructive rather than constructive criticism seems the keynote thereof. While admitting their own disappointment over the fact that the programme formulated for the Fourth Congress is still incompletely carried out for reasons of sheer expediency, the Southwest cannot disclaim their share of the responsibility because of unconcealed aloofness and constant obstructive tactics which seriously weaken the Government's hands. For instance, to past non-cooperation of the Southwest in Communist suppression Communism owes vitality.

The Southwest criticism regarding the lack of definite productive reconstruction plans is unjustifiable as failing to give credit for palpable reconstruction efforts proceeding apace throughout the country which under President Wang Ching Wei's direction have made much progress in spite of natural other catastrophes as to awake Japan's active hostility.

The criticism that the Government lacks a definite foreign policy is entirely erroneous because the policy vis-a-vis the for-

eign Powers is necessarily largely not a positive one and first requires the fullest economic recovery. Once unity and strength are established the National Government will not need initiative from the Southwest to recover the Northeast territories, hence present energies must be entirely concentrated on economic reconstruction and national unification.

The Soviet, which from the point of view of unity as well as economic resources far exceeds China, refuses to be precipitated into a conflict by the grossest provocations. How much more reason that China should bide her time.

The Government attitude towards the Southwest is unimpeachably sincere and patient yet it has not reciprocated. The Southwest's much vaunted sacrifices never proceeded beyond empty words. We might consider Britain and the United States where party differences are sunk in order to form National Governments yet the crises there are unequal to ours. Moreover, ours is only a one-party government.

The Southwest repeatedly and unnecessarily reminds us of objectives which the whole country are equally mindful of, but never discloses the means which every one awaits. Will it show China practical suggestions at the forthcoming Congress?

INDEPENDENCE OF AUSTRIA

Dr. Schuschnigg's Statement

Vienna, Sept. 15.

The "Neuefreie Presse" published from Geneva an interview with Dr. Schuschnigg where the Austrian Chancellor states that Austrian independence is the theme on which the Austrian Government can enter into no discussion. This indeed is no international problem for submission to the League of Nations so that the Austrian Government at this session had felt no call to submit her proposals to Geneva for the guarantee of Austrian independence. No pact that affects Austria can be considered without Austria's consent.

The Austrian Government is thankful for every further sincere proof of confidence but will not allow the country to be made the plaything of European politics. The time has gone once for all when Austrian home politics are continually influenced and revolutionised from without. Moreover, political guarantees are worthless unless based on economic foundation. But Austria must reject all economic guarantees that do not at the same time recognise unconditionally the political independence of the country.—Kuo Min.

BELGIAN COAL MINE TO BE CLOSED

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Brussels, Sept. 15. The "important" coal mine "Grandhorn" in the Borinage district will be closed down on October 1, whereby 900 miners and 150 employees will be out of work. The management states that they are obliged to cease mining operations owing to prevailing economic crisis.—Transocean Kuo Min.

TREASURY BILLS

London, Sept. 14.

A total of £65,080,000 was applied for in tenders for £30,000,000 Treasury bills. The amount allotted in bills at three months was £29,530,000. The average rate per cent was 10/5.61d. as compared with 12/10.98d. a week ago.—British Wireless.

FRENCH ARMY MANOEUVRES

Reservists To Be Tested

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Paris, Sept. 15.

The manoeuvres superintended by General Weygand personally, which will take place near Nancy in the last week of September will serve the purpose of technical examination of the French army reserves. The 1st army division, which is otherwise not existing in peace time will be specially mobilised on this occasion.

The military authorities are desirous of testing the reservists capacity to adapt themselves on new tactical conditions and thereby also ascertaining whether the system of "armed nation" which is based on a large extent on training the reserves, presents sufficient guarantees that it can be carried on without hitch.—Transocean Kuo Min.

SIAMESE GOVERNMENT RESIGNS

Sequel To Rubber Quota Proposal Rejection

Bangkok, Sept. 15. Siam's proposed rubber quota under the international restriction scheme was rejected when submitted for ratification by the Assembly.

The Government consequently resigned. It is possible that this development may hasten the King's return from Europe.—Reuter.

DUTCH NATIVE DRY RUBBER

Duty Scheme Causes Export Boom

Batavia, Sept. 14. The discrimination in the rubber export duties between dry rubber and other assortments has resulted in an increase in exports of native dry rubber. The percentage of the total exports rose from 17 per cent. in May to 45 per cent. in August. Re-milling factories are at their busiest.—Reuter.



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GOLD MUST BE USED

In All Transactions

Nanking, Sept. 10. The Ministry of Finance has issued the following order to the Supervisor of the Shanghai Gold Bar Stock Exchange:—

"The former practice of using foreign exchange instead of gold in set-offs on the Gold Bar Stock Exchange not only is at variance with the principle on which the exchange is instituted, but has permitted the Exchange to be utilized for manipulations by unscrupulous speculators. For the purpose of stabilizing the market, you are hereby instructed immediately to order the Gold Bar Stock Exchange that, effective from the date of receipt of this order, the set-off of all its transactions must be made in gold and not in foreign currency. Transactions entered into before the aforementioned may be settled according to the terms of the respective contracts.

"The settlement in gold shall be placed in charge of an Examination Committee to be organized by the Exchange.

"This order has also been communicated to the Ministry of Industries.—Kuo Min.

SEATS IN SILVER EXCHANGE

Shanghai's Interest In Montreal

Montreal, Sept. 14.

Seats are rapidly being allotted in the newly-created Silver Exchange here. Altogether 48 seats have recently been allocated, 17 of them to New York traders, and three to Shanghai.

The creation of the Silver Exchange in Montreal followed the American move to restrict operations in New York, immediately after President Roosevelt nationalised the commodity.—Reuter.

SYNTHETIC RUBBER IN RUSSIA

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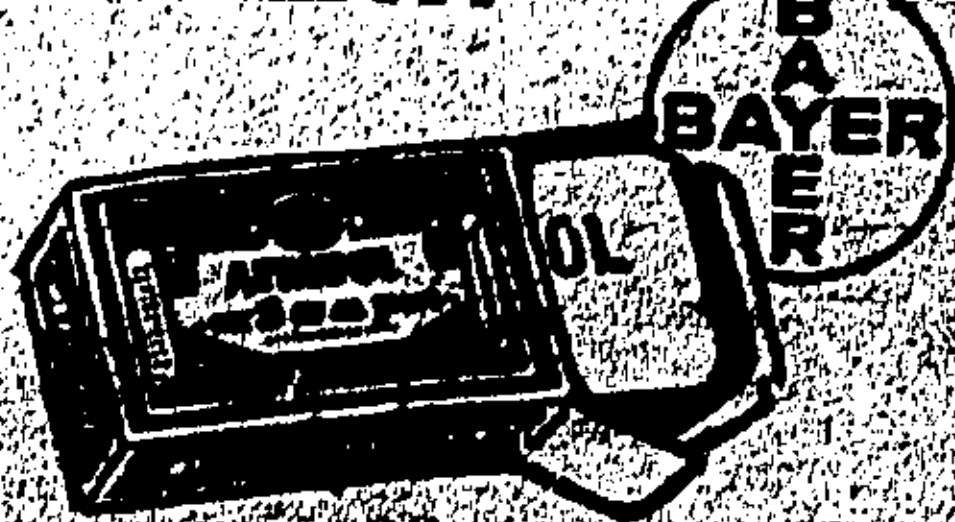
Leningrad, Sept. 15.

A factory for the manufacture of synthetic rubber is about to open here. The process which is called "Sowpren" was discovered in 1932 at the institute for applied chemistry in Leningrad, the essential feature being that the process was much simpler than all others. Raw materials are said to be available in unlimited quantities, the basic substances being coal, lime and common salt.—Transocean Kuo Min.

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TIENTSIN'S BRILLIANT INTERPORT VICTORY

HONG KONG LOSE ON LAST DAY'S RESULTS

R. Norman Hero Of Champion Port

Tientsin caused a sensation in the Triangular Interport Swimming series held at Shanghai on Saturday night last, when in spite of forfeiting their points in the water-polo games and starting the final night's programme three points in arrears of Hong Kong, they swept through the events to secure three firsts and two thirds and the Interport Championship title at the expense of the Colony, who previous to Saturday night led for the first two nights.

Shanghai at one time drew level with Hong Kong by taking the first two places in the Diving Championship, Ed da Roza and S. H. Wong, the Colony entrants being unplaced in this event.

Lionel Roza Pereira failed to show up to expectations in the quarter mile when R. Norman, Tientsin's brilliant all-rounder took first place and again beat the Hong Kong Champion, W. Lawrence, for second place.

Tientsin caused two further surprises when Dr. Ohlwein snatched a narrow victory from Lau Po Hay of Hong Kong in the 100 Yards Back Stroke, while George Niglewitzky the Tientsin sprint star eliminated N. Hammond of Shanghai and T. Paget and E. B. Roza of Hong Kong in the 50 Yards.

Hong Kong even failed to get placed in this event and now that the series is over it can be said that Hong Kong's failure in spite of their brilliant times in the trials may be attributed to lack of practice in a fresh water pool.

The Colony secured their only win of the day in the water-polo when they defeated Shanghai easily by six goals to 1.

Tientsin are to be congratulated on their magnificent win for with only six swimmers, which meant the forfeiture of points for water-polo, they managed to win Interport honours.

It is noteworthy, that with the exception of the 50 and 100 Yards free style events, the Colony's best times for every other distance remained unbeaten. It must be said, however, that the Colony's best times were set up in salt water.

The closest approach was made by R. Norman who came within four-fifths of a second of L. Roza Pereira's best 40 Yards time, while Dr. Ohlwein clocked 69 4/5 secs. to win the backstroke event, as against Lau Po Hay's 69 2/5 secs.

50 YARDS

Tientsin took the lead for the first time on Saturday night when George Niglewitzky (Tientsin) won the 50 Yards free style event from Noel Hammond of Shanghai in 25 2/5 seconds. Niglewitzky thus equalled his best time and set up a new Interport record.

M. Prodan who has figured prominently in Tientsin swimming ousted both T. Paget and E. B. Roza from third place.

BACK STROKE

Tientsin again went a step further to secure the Interport championship and practically assured themselves of it when Dr. Ohlwein, crack Tientsin all-rounder secured a brilliant victory in the 100 Yards Back Stroke, beating Lau Po Hay and W. Lawrence. W. Wagner secured a valuable third point for Shanghai, just beating W. Lawrence.

SHANGHAI'S SHARE

Shanghai took the lion's share in the Diving and secured first and second places, while M. Prodan of Tientsin took third place. Ed da Roza and S. H. Wong of Hong Kong being unplaced.

Tientsin placed the issue beyond doubt, when R. Norman who previously caused a sensation by defeating Lionel Roza Pereira in the 880 Yards free style, secured the "double" by taking the quarter mile in the new Interport record time of 5 mins. 40 4/5 secs.

Roza Pereira failed to come up to expectations and was even beaten for second place by W. Lawrence, who has thus twice beaten the Hong Kong champion this year in this event.

In spite of Hong Kong securing three points for their water-polo win over Shanghai, Tientsin comfortably won the Interport championship.

INTERPORT HERO

R. Norman stands out as the most brilliant swimmer of the Triangular contest, showing wonderful versatility. He practically won the Interport honours for Tientsin of his own accord, contributing 13 points to the total of 38, with two firsts and a second place, in addition to assisting materially in the medley relay and free-style team races. There is little doubt that his speed in the

breast-stroke even of the medley relay caused the upset against Hong Kong.

Tientsin's team of only six were an all-round team, many of the team being placed in the honours at least twice.

Hong Kong won the last Triangular Interport contest in 1931 at Shanghai by a margin of one point from Tientsin.

The majority of the Colony's team will return on September 19 by the President Jefferson.

FIRST NIGHT

220 Yards Free Style—

1. W. Lawrence (Hong Kong).
2. N. Hammond (Shanghai).
3. A. Logan (Shanghai).

Time: 2 mins. 33.3 secs.

100 Yards Breast Stroke—

1. Kwok Chun Hang (Hong Kong).
2. R. Norman (Tientsin).
3. E. Marques (Hong Kong).

Time: 76.35 secs. (Interport record)

Relay—

1. Tientsin.
2. Shanghai.
3. Hong Kong.

Time: 2 mins. 9.15 secs.

SECOND NIGHT

880 Yards Free Style—

1. R. Norman (Tientsin).
2. L. Roza Pereira (Hong Kong).
3. A. A. Roza (Hong Kong).

Time: 12 mins. 17.15 secs (Shanghai record)

100 Yards Free Style—

1. N. G. Hammond (Shanghai).
2. W. Lawrence (Hong Kong).
3. G. Niglewitzky (Tientsin).

Time: 58.35 secs. (Interport record)

Medley Relay—

1. Tientsin.
2. Hong Kong.
3. Shanghai.

Time: 1 min. 53.15 secs.

FINAL NIGHT

100 Yards Back Stroke—

1. Dr. Ohlwein (Tientsin).
2. Lau Po Hay (Hong Kong).
3. W. Wagner (Shanghai).

Time: 69.45 secs. (Interport record)

Diving—

1. W. Hummer (Shanghai).
2. C. Sharp (Shanghai).
3. M. Prodan (Tientsin).

440 Yards Free Style—

1. R. Norman (Tientsin).
2. W. Lawrence (Hong Kong).
3. L. Roza Pereira (Hong Kong).

Time: 5 mins. 40.45 secs (record)

50 Yards Free Style—

1. G. Niglewitzky (Tientsin).
2. N. Hammond (Shanghai).
3. M. Prodan (Tientsin).

Time: 25.25 secs. (Interport record)

Water Polo—

- Hong Kong defeated Shanghai by 6 goals to 1.
- Hong Kong: Chan Shek Pui (C.A.A.), A. Fullager (S.W.B.), W. Lawrence (V.R.C.), C. E. Roza Pereira (V.R.C.), A. A. Roza (V.R.C.), L. Roza Pereira (V.R.C.), W. T. Campbell (S.W.B.).
- Shanghai: J. Bradley (Y.M.C.A.), A. Wagstaff (S.R.C.), D. J. Raeburn (S.R.C.), H. Park (Y.M.C.A.), A. C. Sinclair (S. R. C.), N. G. Hammond (S.R.C.), R. N. Richards (C.S.F.).

"NO CONTEST" DECISION IN AMERICA'S CUP

Rainbow Leading When Time Limit Expires

Newport, R.I., Sept. 15. The first in the series of great yacht races in which Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith's Endeavour is challenging the Vanderbilt syndicate's Rainbow for the America's Cup ended in a "no contest" as neither boat reached the finishing line within the stipulated 57 hours. It was hard luck on the Rainbow which was leading by half a mile and was only half a mile from the finishing line when the time limit expired.

Everyone was most disappointed at the unsatisfactory result, hardly a cheer being raised at the finish.

It was evident that the American boat was the better both to windward and leeward, and it was an outstanding fact that the British amateur crew were slow in handling the sails and were beaten practically every time with sail manipulation.

To-day's result does not augur well for the other races. Many critics consider that for Monday's race Mr. Sopwith should change the ventilated spinnaker, which was very troublesome, for the spinnaker resembled that used by the Rainbow.

EXPERT OPINIONS

Newport, R.I., Sept. 16.

The "New York Times" says that the Rainbow was handled by Mr. Vanderbilt in his usual skilful manner. Mr. Sopwith and his amateurs did not do so well. Mr. Vanderbilt caught Mr. Sopwith napping at the start and held the advantage to the end.

The start cost Mr. Sopwith the race for Mr. Vanderbilt got to a windward position which never lost weather conditions and made comparison of the boats most difficult if not impossible.

The paper says that it is difficult to predict the results of the other races. Mr. Sopwith is given every credit for his courage to sail his own race and his ability is greater than seen in many contests.

Other experts say that the Endeavour was potentially as fast as the Rainbow and any conclusions to be drawn from the first race are most likely to be false.

Both skippers complained that they were upset by aeroplanes overhead. Mr. Sopwith said that his amateur crew was splendid. Mr. Vanderbilt admitted that the Endeavour was very fast and gave him a great race. Mr. Cornelius Vanderbilt said, "the Endeavour owed us something."

It is generally agreed that if the Endeavour gets a good breeze she will do far better.

—Reuter.

EARLY SCENES

Newport was astir early in the morning, yachts, steamers, trains and cars arriving hourly. The town presented a lively scene. At 8.30 a.m. the weather was sunny, but shortly after clouds presaged a wet day. There was no wind in the harbour, but it was learned that the sea was choppy outside.

Before sailing, Mr. Vanderbilt said, "Rainbow is ready. We have done everything in our power and the rest remains with nature. I trust the weather will be kind."

Mr. Sopwith said, "I regard this as any other race. I have made more preparations, perhaps, but so have the Americans. It is much easier to lose than to win, just the same as when you are fishing it is much easier to make excuses for the fishes that have got away than it is to catch them."

It was decided that the course should be 15 miles to windward from the starting point south-east, to a point off No Man's Land, and return.

The yachts cross the starting line at 4.45 p.m. British standard time.

THE START

Rainbow led slightly from the start, both yachts tacking to the starboard. Mr. Sopwith kept the Endeavour pointed as high as possible, drawing level. After 10 minutes it appeared that the Endeavour had about two boat-lengths lead.

Both vessels were doing better than six knots. At noon Endeavour fell back slightly, and the Rainbow was now pointing higher. Both vessels kept on the star-

board tack, racing close together. The Rainbow appeared slightly faster, and continuing to lead, was a quarter of a mile to the windward of Endeavour, who was an eighth of a mile behind at 5.20 p.m.

At 6.30 p.m. the race was exceedingly close, the Rainbow then appearing to have a lead of between 30 to 60 seconds.

The Endeavour was tacking rather slowly, and both yachts were pointing about the same.

Mr. Thomas Lipton's Shamrock V never gave the Enterprise such a race in the 1890 series.

The Rainbow reached the half-way stage at 7.45 p.m. and the Endeavour at 7.47.

A CLOSE RACE

After three to four miles both were sailing on the starboard tack each waiting for the other to come about; the Rainbow then changed to port tack. The Endeavour speeded up and appeared to hold a slight lead at 5.45 p.m., but the Rainbow, pointing higher, looked as if it had regained the lead. The leader was most difficult to judge from the express yacht.

At 6 p.m. the race was still very close. The Rainbow appeared to be going a little better, both holding to port tack and sails the same, the Endeavour retaining her big Genoa gill, thereby not permitting her to point as high as the Rainbow.

The Endeavour's crew were very snappy in lowering and hoisting their sails which was done repeatedly. At 6.50 p.m. she hoisted a stay sail. Two minutes later she put down the Genoa gill and proceeded under a double clew gill, main sail and stay sail. At 6.58 p.m. both boats changed to starboard and two minutes later to port. The Endeavour gained slight ground, her sails filling out quicker. The Rainbow's jib was fluttering for several seconds.

The official time between the yachts at the turn was 2 minutes 40 seconds.

The race was marred only by lack of good wind which, fortunately increasing, helped the Endeavour to close up a little since the sails filled out, the small sails responding more quickly. At 7.14 p.m. the Vanderbilt yacht was a quarter mile ahead, the Endeavour grimly holding on. President Roosevelt was aboard Mr. Astor's yacht Nourmahal and followed the race very closely.

GROUND LOST

Some minutes after turning the Rainbow hoisted her balloon spinnaker. The Endeavour hoisted her ventilated spinnaker. There was much trouble in hoisting this, Mr. Sopwith losing valuable ground. It appeared that something was wrong with the pulleys. Experts said that the spinnaker was too large, while that of the Rainbow was used to the fullest advantage. Finally the Endeavour, after persevering with the spinnaker, caught an extra wind, but the race was so slow that the yachts appeared to be hardly moving.

At 9.10 p.m. there was little change, the Endeavour having made a slight gain. There were only 55 minutes left and ten miles to cover before the time limit expired.

At 9.30 p.m. the Rainbow lowered the parachute spinnaker and ran up a smaller one exceedingly smartly. A minute later the Endeavour lowered the ventilated spinnaker, and then the Rainbow lifted the Genoa gill, whereupon the Endeavour did likewise, but the operation was very slow and costly to the latter which lost considerable ground.

Racing against time the Rainbow under a new rig drew away from the Endeavour which, even when the sails were set did not seem to be able to make speed. It was most obvious that the American yacht had the Endeavour out-sailed both ways and beaten every time with sail manipulation.

With only five minutes left, Mr.

LAWSON LITTLE WINS

Another Golf Title

Brookline, Mass., Sept. 15.

W. Lawson Little, British Amateur golf champion, gained further fame to-day when he defeated David Goldman in the final of the American Amateur golf championship.

The match was played over thirty six holes and Lawson Little beat Goldman 4 and 7. He played magnificent golf, being five up at the 18th and eight up at the 27th. In the earlier semi-finals, Lawson Little beat D. Armstrong 4 and 3 while D. Goldman beat R. Smith 4 and 2.

—Reuter.

WOMEN'S GOLF

Great Britain's Win Over Canada

Toronto, Sept. 15.

In the Women's International golf championship Great Britain beat Canada by seven matches to two, winning three of the four-somes which were halved and four of the singles, three of which were halved.

—Reuter.

LEYLAND SCORES 182 RUN

Battling Against The Champion County

London, Sept. 15. A bright innings for 182 by Leyland featured the batting of the Rest of England in the cricket match against the Champion County, Lancashire, which commenced at the Oval to-day.

Lancashire batted first for 206 runs, Duckworth contributing 69; Bowes 4 for 73; Verity 4 for 50. The Rest had scored 385 for 9 wickets when stumps were drawn, Leyland 182.

—Reuter.

Vanderbilt unfurled his spinnaker in a desperate effort to cram on every bit of speed, but failed, being half a mile from the finishing line when the time limit expired.

—Reuter.

LOCAL CRICKET

K.C.C. Trial Match

Kowloon Cricket Club held their second trial game on Saturday when teams captained by E. C. Fincher and F. E. Lawrence engaged in a low-scoring match which ended in a draw.

The scores were:—

E. C. Fincher's XI	
F. Zimmermann c Bonavia b Lee	24
W. L. Mackenzie b Durling	2
E. C. Fincher b Durling	7
C. B. R. Sargent c Smith b Lee	19
S. A. Gray hit wkt. b Lawrence	8
G. Jones c Durling b Hyde	1
W. W. Peddle c and B Durling	27
F. A. Broadbridge b Durling	2
A. Philippens c Hyde b Mulcahy	5
D. S. Green not out	6
Extras (B.S.)	5

Total (for 9 wks dec.) ... 106

Fall of the wickets:—
1-4, 2-12, 3-44, 4-62, 5-64, 6-66, 7-85, 8-102, 9-108.

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Smith	8	2	16	0
Durling	8	1	27	4
Lee	4	0	18	2
Bonavia	3	0	16	0
Lawrence	1	0	2	1
Hyde	2	1	10	1
Mulcahy	2	0	11	1
Hampton	1	0	1	0

F. E. Lawrence's XI

W. Hyde b Jones	0
G. Lee retired	28
W. Mulcahy l.b.w. Broadbridge	16
H. Hampton b Broadbridge	2
W. Bonavia l.b.w. b Mackenzie	12
V. A. Durling v Peddle b Jones	13
W. Shields b Mackenzie	0
F. S. W. Smith l.b.w. b Sargent	6
F. E. Lawrence not out	1
C. I. Stapleton hit wkt. b Sargent	0
Extras (N.B. 2)	2

Total (for nine wks.) ... 80

Fall of the wickets:—
1-3, 2-39, 3-41, 4-58, 5-68, 6-68, 7-76, 8-79, 9-80.

Bowling Analysis

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Jones	7	2	16	2
Mackenzie	8	1	14	2
Sargent	5	0	14	2
*Zimmermann	5	1	19	0
Broadbridge	4	0	15	2
*Zimmermann bowled two no balls				

LOCAL SOCCER

(Continued from Page 7.)

The Chinese turned out their strongest side, and were vastly superior in every department of the game. Tay Quee Liang was the most versatile player in the forward line, while in defence Wong Mee Shun and Li Kwok Wal were outstanding. For the Saints, Podmore of the Borderers played a good game, as centre half, always trying hard but lacked the support of his colleagues. Leonard in the centre forward position played well but was rather inclined to dribble too much as a result of which his efforts went a-begging just as an opportunity for scoring arose.

The conditions of the ground caused by the intermittent showers and the heaviness of the ball made play rather scrappy and consequently the football seen was not of the high standard as expected.

The game started with the Chinese attacking, and within ten minutes Tam Kong Pak opened the scoring from a rebound.

Through The Goalie's Legs!

The Saints also had their share of attack but failed to score owing to lack of finish. After about ten minutes play in which both goals were threatened, Tay Quee Liang added another goal the Chinese with a nice oblique shot. Tam Kong Pak increased the score to three shortly afterwards, on receiving a nice pass from Fung King Cheung, the ball passing through the goalkeeper's legs.

There was no scoring in the second half, the Chinese apparently being satisfied with a three-goal lead. They eased up considerably, but despite this the Saints failed to score.

The teams were:—

South China:—Wong Wing; Li Tin Sang, Lau Mau; Leung Wing Chiu, Wong Mei Shun, Li Kwok Wal; Tso Kwai Shing, Tam Kong Pak, Fung King Cheung, Tay Quee Luee and Ip Pak Wah.

St. Joseph's:—Smith; Mullane and Sousa; Victor, Podmore and Elms; Matthias, Leonard, Rocha and Fernandez.

OLD FAVOURITES!



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TRAINING GALLOPS

Some Ponies Likely To Do Well On Saturday

(BY "MORNING DEW")

In view of the fact that the race meeting is only a week ahead, quite a number of ponies were given faster work on Saturday, resulting in some very good times returned.

Atlas (now in the "A" class) put in a last quarter of 26 seconds at the end of a mile gallop, and looks as though he will have a strong claim in the five furlongs this Saturday. He was ridden by Mr. Davis. Another Australian pony which moved very well was Just That, who was taken over a mile and a half by Mr. Soares.

Among the China ponies which impressed were Ribble, Cavalcade, Valorous, Soldier of Germany, Macaroni, Lemberg, Hydroplane and Cossack's Beauty.

Classic Hall, regarded by many as a likely winner of the Sub-Griffins' Autumn Plate, did not seem to move as well as he used to.

The following were clocked.—

Boxing Eve	1	36	1.11.4	1.42.2	30.3
Wonderful Stag	1	48	1.31	2.13	31.4
Valorous	1	33.1	1.05.3	1.35.3	30
Bag Tor	1	38.3	1.16.4	1.55	2.28
Able Amazon	1	37	1.12.2	1.45	2.13.2
Atlas	1	41.2	1.20	1.51.2	2.17.2
Racing Boy	1	45.3	1.26.4	2.05.1	2.44.4
Dinty	1	27	54.4	1.24.4	30
Gladiator	1	38.3	1.17	1.51.3	2.23.1
Copper Idol	1	41.2	1.21	2.00.2	2.35.1
Glorious Star	1	37.3	—	1.40	2.10.2
Soldier of Britain	1	51.3	1.40.1	2.27	3.06.4
Soldier of China	1	37	1.11.2	1.47	2.20.3
Racing Triumph	1	36	1.10.2	1.42	2.13.3
Mutiny Bay	1	45	1.26	2.06	2.45.2
Robnak Star	1	43.3	1.22.4	2.00.2	2.32.4
Soldier of Germany	1	39	1.17.3	1.55	2.29.4
The Tiger	1	42	1.20	1.53.4	2.23.3
Beta	1	34	1.08.4	1.41.4	2.13.4
St. Joan	1	40.1	1.16.2	1.49	2.20
Brechin	1	36	1.10	1.42	2.12
Electric Star	1	36.1	1.10	1.44	2.16.4
Macaroni and Lemberg	1	37	1.13.2	1.46.3	2.16
Davilght Eye and Spinaway	1	23.3	1.07	1.38.4	31.4
Ebony Idol	1	38.2	1.19.2	1.59	2.32.2
Ironclad and Cavalcade	1	40.4	1.19.2	1.55	2.25.3
Mayflower	1	36	1.14	1.49.2	2.20
Warrington	1	45	1.28	2.07.3	2.41.3
Night Star	1	36	1.11	1.43.2	2.22
Ribble	1	38.1	1.13.4	1.46.2	2.15.3
The Goose	1	38.3	1.14	1.47.3	2.17.4
Just That	1	41.2	1.15	1.50.0	2.20.2
St. Ives and Fi-Fa	1	25.2	1.11.2	1.43.2	32
Hey Tor, William Oster and Racing Pluck	1	35	1.08.2	1.37.2	31
Fudge	1	38	1.15.4	1.49.4	2.21.2
The Giraffe	1	36.2	1.10	1.44	2.14
National Day and Sincerely Yours	1	38.1	1.15.3	1.50	2.21.3
No Fear	1	41	1.20	1.58.4	2.35
Australian Boy and Cheeky Face	1	30.2	1.01.2	1.31.2	2.00
Great Hall	1	46.1	1.31.4	2.13	2.46
Heart's Glory and Delightful Chance	1	36	1.12.2	1.48.2	2.21.2
Bold Commander	1	35.1	1.10.1	1.44.3	2.14.2
Flying Tourist	1	40	1.16.4	1.51.3	2.22.4
Antamok	1	41	1.15	1.48	2.23
Chow Fan	1	42.2	1.24.4	2.03.4	2.36.1
Hell for Leather and Hot Heels	1	41.3	1.23.4	2.04.3	2.37.4
The Bodega	1	36.2	1.12.4	1.45.1	32.2
Surprise	1	37.4	1.13.1	1.38.4	33.3
Vigilance	1	51.1	1.36	2.10.3	2.44.1
Shaughraun	1	27.2	1.12.3	1.46.3	34
Chesterfield	1	39	1.16	1.52.2	2.27.1
Sarabande	1	49.3	1.35.3	2.16.3	2.49.4
King's Parade	1	39	1.14	1.45	31
Prima Donna	1	41.1	1.17	1.52.4	2.27.4
Tecumseh	1	38.3	1.13.2	1.47	2.18
Budge	1	41	1.20	1.59.3	2.37
Cossack's Beauty	1	38.1	1.13.3	1.46.4	2.18
West Parade	1	38.3	1.15	1.48.1	33.1
Helter Skelter	1	36.2	1.11.1	1.45.3	34.2
Racing Spirit, Colombo and Gold Bullion	1	42	1.21	2.00.3	2.34.4
Wayward Stag	1	38.4	1.15.3	1.50.1	2.20.4
Hydroplane	1	38	1.16.1	1.51.2	2.21
In Good Time	1	42.3	1.21.2	1.58.3	2.30.3

NEWS FROM CHINA

THE COMMUNIST MENACE

Drive by Nanking Forces

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Sept. 15.
Cantonese troops in Southern Kiangsi are instructed to keep a sharp watch against the Communists who are reported to be coming nearer to the Kwangtung borders owing to their being harassed by Nanking troops. At the same time, the Reds are making an attempt to recover Kwan Mun Ling from the Canton forces. Sometime ago it was reported that Shih Cheng in Western Kiangsi was captured by the Sixth Route Army, but the city is still in the hands of the Communists. It is true, however, that Nanking troops are pursuing the Reds southward, although there is yet no actual fighting.

About twenty Nanking divisions are engaged in the anti-Communist suppression in Southern Kiangsi. Since the Red rift-raft are retreating in the direction of South-west towards Hunan, Nanking divisions will be sent into Hunan to assist the provincial forces to subdue the Reds. The Hunan provincial forces prove to be ineffective in suppressing the enemy, and assistance from Nanking is necessary.

Meanwhile the Communists bands in Southern Hunan are trying to reach Kwichow and join up with their comrades under "General" Ho Lung in Western Kwichow. These outlaws take advantage of the weak military strength of Kwichow in addition to the jealousy between General Wang Chia Lih, Chairman of the Provincial Government and General Yu Kuo Chai, his rival.

In the Fukien front, it is reported that Nanking forces under General Chiang Ting Wen are again launching a drive against the Reds at Changting in the West.

OCCUPATION OF MUKDEN

Observance In Canton

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Sept. 15.
A holiday will be declared on September 18 in memory of Japanese occupation of Mukden three years ago, according to a notification of the authorities here. All flags will fly at half mast as a sign of national humiliation.

Government employees and Communist workers were requested to attend a memorial service at 9 a.m. at the Chungshan Memorial Hall, where a hot speech will be delivered along stereotyped lines.

The public is asked not to make any celebrations on that day. Theatres and motion picture houses will suspend matinee performances, but the latter are allowed to show patriotic pictures.

AVIATION TALK IN CANTON

Value of Bombing Planes

(From Our Special Correspondent)

Canton, Sept. 15.
"The bombing plane is the mainstay of the air force," declared Colonel Tam Kwong-Bew, Professor of aviation at the flying school here, in a radio speech broadcast here last night.

Colonel Tam said that during the Great War the bombing planes were slow and could not carry heavy bombs, but since then there have been many improvements. Some of the faster bombers, he continued, can fly over 200 miles per hour and carry 2,000 pounds of bombs.

Declaring that Great Britain, France, Italy, United States, Soviet Russia, and Japan are increasing their respective air force, Colonel Tam went on to say that China should make preparations to defend herself against aerial invasion. If every province has an air fleet, the enemy will not come to invade China.

The speaker said that the National Government at Nanking has increased its air force, as the Aviation Commission has ordered many bombing planes from the United States, engaged several American fliers as instructors, and has ordered machinery for the establishment of an aircraft factory. Their bombing planes can carry 2,000 pounds of bombs with a speed of about 200 miles per hour.

"Notwithstanding improvements of anti-aircraft guns, the bombers can destroy cities, military stations, arsenals, or a fleet of warships," Colonel Tam asserted. "The modern bombers can fly so fast that they can avoid anti-aircraft guns or pursuit planes. Besides, bombing planes are armed with machine guns and can defend themselves against pursuit planes."

"Bombers send down either explosive bombs or poison gas. Incendiary bombs are not much use nowadays, because ordinary explosive bombs often cause a fire besides destroying the object."

Colonel Tam concluded his talk by urging every one to contribute money for the aerial defence of Canton. Funds are needed to buy pursuit planes and even bombers which are to be used in wiping out the enemy's air force. The latter method is deemed to be the best protection against aerial invasion of the enemy.

RELIEF OF INDUSTRY

Canton, Sept. 15.

Owing to the great depression which prevails amongst local industries, the daily increase in the number of unemployed, and the urgent necessity for devising relief measures, the Provincial Department of Reconstruction is occupied with a scheme for the better distribution and control of capital.

The first important industry to be dealt with will be silk-weaving and silk-worm raising.

Mr. Liu Sung Chan of the Silk and Silk Worm Bureau, has been instructed to investigate and report for the information of the Government.

Nam Wah Tai Po.

U.S. BASEBALL

New York, Sept. 10.
The following were the major League baseball results to-day, other games being postponed owing to rain.—

National League		
	R	H
Pittsburgh	6	16
Philadelphia	1	6
Vaughan homered for Pittsburgh.		

Pittsburgh	4	14
Philadelphia	1	4
Vaughan homered for Pittsburgh.		

Cincinnati	1	8
Boston	2	7

American League		
	R	H
New York	2	7
Cleveland	1	4

Washington	2	10
Detroit	12	13

Reuter.

POLICE AQUATIC SPORTS

Successful Function At The V.R.C.

The Police and Prison Departments were en fête on Saturday afternoon when they held their 13th Annual Aquatic Sports Meeting at the Victoria Recreation Club.

In spite of the threatening weather conditions a very large and enthusiastic company of members of all sections of the various departments and their families and friends were present to enjoy a long and varied programme.

His Excellency, the Governor, Sir William Peel and Lady Peel, with Captain R. F. Walter in attendance, were early arrivals. Among the present were Lady Southern, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. MacGregor, The Hon. Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hopkins, Mr. P. Jacks, The Hon. Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lindsell, Dr. and Mrs. A. R. Wellington, Dr. and Mrs. W. B. A. Moore, Dr. and Mrs. J. T. Smalley, Mrs. D. W. Trautman, Mr. and Mrs. E. Cock, Mr. M. J. Quist, The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, Mr. M. K. Lo, Mr. and Mrs. Hoesgood, Miss Wolfe, Messrs. J. W. Franks, D. Burlingham, L. H. V. Booth, K. A. Blismead, and O. Eager.

A total entry of 377 in the 19 events provided is an eloquent testimony of the interest evinced in this year's meeting. The heats of most of the events had been swum off earlier in the week and the finals of these and the remainder of the programme were decided with great keenness and enthusiasm.

A Splendid Race

A new departure was made this year in enclosing that portion of the harbour between the V.R.C. and Murray Pier by three Police launches to form the "field" where the Greasy Pole, Obstacle and Sampan events were held.

In winning the 100 Yards Free Style Championship and Life Saving events for European Members of the Force and obtaining third place in another event, to secure 7 points, Lance-Sergeant Hutchinson won the Aggregate Cup. He beat 1/Lt. Sgt. Youe, the holder, by about half a length in the 100 Yards in a splendid race.

Two "Good Friends"

At the conclusion of the sports, Mr. T. H. King thanked the distinguished visitors for their attendance, and all the subscribers and donors of prizes, especially their old friends the Police and Prison Officers' Canteen Funds and last but not least, their very special friend the "Times' Fund". Mr. King paid special tribute to the hard work which the various committees had put in, making special mention of Mr. D. Burroughs and Sub-Inspectors Hunt and Wright. He commented on the increasing popularity of aquatic sports among the members of the whole force and also referred to the fact that the Water Police had this year been represented as a distinct unit.

Mr. King referred to the fact that this was the last aquatic meeting at which they would have the pleasure of having the company of Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe and Miss Wolfe and he was sure that he was voicing the sentiments of those present in saying how sorry they were to lose them. Mr. Wolfe had always entertained a lively interest in all their doings and had, in company with Mrs. Wolfe, perpetuated his association with the Force by presenting a Challenge Cup, to be known as the "Points Cup," for annual competition. "This," said Mr. King, "was only one of many links which held his name in the affection and esteem of the Force." Following in her parents' footsteps, Miss Wolfe had presented a replica of the cup for the day's meeting. Mr. King also extended the congratulations of the company to Miss Wolfe on having celebrated her 21st birthday the previous day.

Mr. King then called on Mrs. Wolfe to present the prizes. Mr. Wolfe thanked Mr. King on behalf of Mrs. Wolfe and Miss Wolfe and himself for all the nice things he had said about them, and assured the company that they will always remember their fifteen years association with the Force with pleasure when they have returned safely and are settled in the Homeland.

On the call of Mr. King three hearty cheers and a "tiger" were given to Mr. and Mrs. Wolfe.

Prize Winners

The prize-winners were:—
100 Yards Free Style, Asiatic Police Championship—1, R. Chan.

ADVERTISEMENTS

NOTICE.

THE REEL CLUB.

THE Eighth Annual General Meeting of the Reel Club will take place at the Helena May Institute on Monday, 17th September, at 5.15 p.m. All Members and prospective members are particularly requested to attend. The first practice of the season will commence immediately after the Meeting and practices will be held on each successive Monday, up to the 19th November.

D. L. PROPHET.

Hon. Secretary.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF ROBERT GORDON SHERMAN, Late of Messrs. SHAW, TOWERS & CO. OF 5A, DES VOUEX ROAD, CENTRAL, VICTORIA IN THE COLONY OF HONG KONG, MERCHANT, DECEASED.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of the provisions of Section 88 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1897, made an order limiting the time for creditors and others to send in their claims against the above estate to the 7th OCTOBER, 1934.

All Creditors and others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the undersigned on or before that date.

DEACONS.

Solicitors for the Executors,
1, Des Voeux Road, Central,
Hong Kong.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG.

PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF JAMES HENRY THOMPSON, Late of "WILLABRO" SACKVILLE STREET, KIW, IN THE STATE OF VICTORIA IN THE COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA, MERCHANT, DECEASED.

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(Time: 61 secs.); 2, B.891; 3, C.211.
50 Yards Free Style, Civilian Staff:—1, Yeung Ping-kwai; 2, Lau Tak-kwong.

100 Yards Free Style, Asiatic Police:—1, R. Chan; 2, B.896.
100 Yards Free Style, Championship (European):—1, L. S. A. Hutchinson (Time: 74 secs.); 2, L. S. A. Youe (Time: 74.5 secs.); 3, Warden Franks.

100 Yards Free Style, V.R.C. Members:—1, H. L. Ozorio (Time: 87.5 secs.); 2, Geo. Lynn; 3, J. Neves.

Police Reserve 50 Yards:—1, Sak Kam-pui; 2, R. Ellington.
50 Yards Handicap, open to sons and daughters of Police:—1, Cynthia Stimson; 2, Geo. Saunders.

100 Yards Breast-Stroke (European):—1, Warden Franks (Time: 90 secs.); 2, L. S. A. Bowers; 3, L. S. A. Wagland.

Life Belt Race, Chinese Water Police:—1, W.34; 2, W.56; 3, W.48.
Team Race:—1, Police (Youe, Bowers, Hutchinson, Haywood and R. Chan); 2, Police Reserve.

Umbrella Race, 50 Yards:—1, L. S. A. Moss; 2, L. S. A. Haywood; 3, L. S. A. Hutchinson.
Obstacle Race (European):—1, L. S. A. Bowers; 2, Warden Hircok; 3, L. S. A. Pinfold.

Life Saving (European):—1, L. S. A. Hutchinson; 2, L. S. A. Longlin; 3, Warden Hircok.
Life Saving from Launch for Chinese Water Police:—1, W.156; 2, S.36; 3, W.148.

Greasy Pole from Launch:—Won by Warden Hircok.
Obstacle Race, Asiatic:—1, W.44; 2, W.148; 3, W.155.
Greasy Pole, Asiatic:—Won by Stoker 102.

Sampan Race, Asiatic:—Won by team comprising, W.34; W.47; Stoker 19 and Stoker 74.
Sampan Race, European:—Won by team comprising, Hughes; Wagland; Wynne and Roe.

Aggregate Cup:—L. S. A. Hutchinson.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

ROYAL HONG KONG YACHT CLUB.

"TREVESA" TROPHY

THE 22nd bi-annual race for ships & life boats will be sailed on Thursday, the 18th October next, starting at 4 p.m.

Any ship of a Company having officers or responsible agents in Hong Kong and which is in Port on the day of the race, may enter any number of boats.

All entries should, if possible, be in the hands of the Hon. Sec. R.H.K.Y.C. by noon on the day of race, and competing boats should be at the starting line by 3.30 p.m. Post entries, however, will be received.

Course:—Start from Channel Rocks, thence to Kowloon Rock (P) Mark off Yacht Club (S), Mark off Cunt Rock Beacon (P), finish across Yacht Club line, leaving mark boat to Post, and continue sailing until Gunfire for finish.

A launch will leave Queen's Statue Pier at 3 p.m. for the convenience of members and the General Public.

K. S. ROBERTSON,

Hon. Secretary.

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THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB.

THE SEVENTH EXTRA RACE MEETING will be held (Weather Permitting) at HAPPY VALLEY on SATURDAY, 22nd SEPTEMBER, 1934, commencing at 2.00 p.m.

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE.

Members are notified that they and their Ladies must wear their Badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting.

No one without a Badge will be admitted to the Members' Enclosure. Badges admitting Non-Members to the Members' Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$5.00 for Gentlemen and \$3.00 for Ladies (Both including Tax) are obtainable through the SECRETARY upon the personal application of a Member, such Member to be responsible for all visitors introduced by him, and for Payment of All Chits, &c.

The Secretary's Office, 3rd Floor, Gloucester Building, (Tel. 27794), will close at 12 o'clock Noon.

Badges, admitting to Members' Enclosure, will NOT be on sale at the Race Course.

No No Pretext will Children be permitted in either Enclosure during the Meeting.

Times are obtainable at the Club House provided they are ordered from the No. 1 Boy in advance. Telephone 21920.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The Price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$1.00 including Tax, for all Persons, including Ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Soldiers and Sailors in uniform are admitted Half Price.

Bookmakers, the Tax Men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the Precincts of the Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

DAILY SHARE QUOTATIONS

Hong Kong Stock Exchange Sharebrokers' Association

Buyers	Sellers	Name	Nominal	SAURDAY, SEPT. 16.	Buyers	Sellers	Name	Nominal
		Banks					Banks	
		H.K. Banks	\$1,725	\$1,720			H.K. Banks	\$1,720
		Chartered Banks	2135	2135			Chartered Banks	2135
		Mercantile Bks. "A"	2307	2307			Mercantile Bks. "A"	2307
		Do.	213	213			Do.	213
		Bank of East Asia	389	389			Bank of East Asia	389
		N. O. & S. Banks	389	389			N. O. & S. Banks	389
		Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.	389	389			Am. O. Fin. Corp. S.	389
		Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	389	389			Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.	389
		Do. Pref. S.	389	389			Do. Pref. S.	389
		Insurance					Insurance	
		Canton Insurance	\$285	\$285			Canton Insurance	\$285
		Underwriters	\$115	\$115			Underwriters	\$115
		Union Insurance	\$530	\$530			Union Insurance	\$530
		China Fire	\$610	\$610			China Fire	\$610
		H.K. Fire	\$245	\$245			H.K. Fire	\$245
		International Assoc. J.	58	58			International Assoc. J.	58
		Shipping					Shipping	
		Douglas	\$412	\$412			Douglas	\$412
		Steamboats	37	37			Steamboats	37
		Indos (pref.)	\$30	\$30			Indos (pref.)	\$30
		Do. (def.)	\$35	\$35			Do. (def.)	\$35
		Shells	47/6	47/6			Shells	47/6
		Waterboats	\$131	\$131			Waterboats	\$131
		Mining					Mining	
		Antamook	82 cts	82 cts			Antamook	82 cts
		Balacot	48 cts	48 cts			Balacot	48 cts
		Bengua Gold	\$42	\$42			Bengua Gold	\$42
		Do. Exploration	18 cts	18 cts			Do. Exploration	18 cts
		Do. (Goldfield)	12 cts	12 cts			Do. (Goldfield)	12 cts
		Big Wedge	23 cts	23 cts			Big Wedge	23 cts
		Gold Creek	34 cts	34 cts			Gold Creek	34 cts
		Ipo Mining	34	34			Ipo Mining	34
		Ilogona	23 5	23 5			Ilogona	23 5
		Kailans	318	318			Kailans	318
		Langkai (single) S.	35	35			Langkai (single) S.	35
		Explorations	36	36			Explorations	36
		Shanghai Loans S.	\$121	\$121			Shanghai Loans S.	\$121
		Raub	54	54			Raub	54
		Venezuela Gold Flds.					Venezuela Gold Flds.	
		Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.					Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.	
		H.K. & K. Wharves	\$111	\$111			H.K. & K. Wharves	\$111
		Provident (old)	50 cts	50 cts			Provident (old)	50 cts
		Do. (new)	35 cts	35 cts			Do. (new)	35 cts
		H.K. & W. Docks	\$141	\$141			H.K. & W. Docks	\$141
		S. China Motors "A"	32	32			S. China Motors "A"	32
		Do. "B"	\$116	\$116			Do. "B"	\$116
		Shanghai Docks S.	\$42	\$42			Shanghai Docks S.	\$42
		New Engineering S.	\$131	\$131			New Engineering S.	\$131
		Hongkew (old) S.	\$310	\$310			Hongkew (old) S.	\$310
		Do. (new) S.					Do. (new) S.	
		Lands, Hotels, and Buildings					Lands, Hotels, and Buildings	
		H.K. Hotels	\$5.35	\$5.45			H.K. Hotels	\$5.35
		H.K. Lands	\$50	\$50			H.K. Lands	\$50
		Shanghai Lands S.	37	37			Shanghai Lands S.	37
		Metropolitan Lands	14	14			Metropolitan Lands	14
		H.K. Realities	\$137	\$137			H.K. Realities	\$137
		China Do.	110	110			China Do.	110
		Debutures S.	10	10			Debutures S.	10
		Humphreys	\$45	\$45			Humphreys	\$45
		New Asia Hotel	\$140	\$140			New Asia Hotel	\$140
		Asia Realities "A" S.	\$20	\$20			Asia Realities "A" S.	\$20
		Do. "B" S.					Do. "B" S.	
		China Estates					China Estates	
		Cotton Mills					Cotton Mills	
		Ewes	\$10.80	\$10.80			Ewes	\$10.80
		S'hai Cotton (old) S.	\$73	\$73			S'hai Cotton (old) S.	\$73
		Do. (new) S.	\$111	\$111			Do. (new) S.	\$111
		Zong Sing	\$52	\$52			Zong Sing	\$52
		Wing On Textiles (S)					Wing On Textiles (S)	
		Public Utilities					Public Utilities	
		Tramways	\$20.10	\$20.10			Tramways	\$20.10
		Park Trams (old)	\$14	\$14			Park Trams (old)	\$14
		Do. (new)	38	38			Do. (new)	38
		Star Ferries	\$21	\$21			Star Ferries	\$21
		Yamati Ferries	8.55	8.55			Yamati Ferries	8.55
		China Lights (old)	\$23.25	\$23.25			China Lights (old)	\$23.25
		Do. (new)	\$71	\$71			Do. (new)	\$71
		H.K. Electric	\$72	\$72			H.K. Electric	\$72
		Maeco do					Maeco do	
		Sandakan Light	\$23.80	\$23.80			Sandakan Light	\$23.80
		Telephones	\$11	\$11			Telephones	\$11
		Do. (new)					Do. (new)	
		China Buses	\$13.30	\$13.30			China Buses	\$13.30
		Tractions					Tractions	
		Do. (pref.)					Do. (pref.)	
		Industrials					Industrials	
		Malabon Sugars	\$10	\$10			Malabon Sugars	\$10
		Caldbeck, (old) S.	\$21	\$21			Caldbeck, (old) S.	\$21
		Macgregors (pref.) S.	\$20	\$20			Macgregors (pref.) S.	\$20
		Canton Ice	\$2.70	\$2.70			Canton Ice	\$2.70
		Cements	\$2.30	\$2.40			Cements	\$2.30
		Ropes	\$3	\$3			Ropes	\$3
		Miscellaneous					Miscellaneous	
		Dairy Farms	\$24.90	\$24.90			Dairy Farms	\$24.90
		Der A Wings	\$3	\$3			Der A Wings	\$3
		Amusements	\$7.30	\$7.30			Amusements	\$7.30
		Ch. Etainments					Ch. Etainments	
		Constructions (old)	31.65	31.65			Constructions (old)	31.65
		Do. (new)	75 cts	75 cts			Do. (new)	75 cts
		Lase Crawfords	\$4.10	\$4.10			Lase Crawfords	\$4.10
		Mackintosh	\$21	\$21			Mackintosh	\$21
		Nanyang Tobacco	\$4.70	\$4.70			Nanyang Tobacco	\$4.70
		Sinceres	\$10	\$10			Sinceres	\$10
		Watsons	\$5.60	\$5.60			Watsons	\$5.60
		Wm. Powells	55 cts	55 cts			Wm. Powells	55 cts
		M. Greyhounds	\$1.30	\$1.30			M. Greyhounds	\$1.30
		S. C. Enterprises					S. C. Enterprises	
		United Theatres S.					United Theatres S.	
		Ch. G. 5 1/2% G. 2 Bds.	55 1/2	55 1/2			Ch. G. 5 1/2% G. 2 Bds.	55 1/2
		H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	7 1/2	7 1/2			H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	7 1/2
		Do. 3 1/2	3	3			Do. 3 1/2	3
		Wallace Harper	\$108	\$108			Wallace Harper	\$108
		H.K. Wing Co	\$101	\$101			H.K. Wing Co	\$101
		S'hai Do.					S'hai Do.	

S. E. Levy & Co.'s Cables

The following cabled reports were furnished by Messrs. S. E. Levy and Co. on Saturday night:

American Weather Report

(New York, Sept. 15, 8.15 p.m.)
The weather in the Cotton Belt is rather cloudy and there are light rainfalls generally. The tendency of the weather being cooler, but the forecast is for showery weather.

The Grain Belt is cool. Canada is clear but elsewhere is cloudy. The Corn Belt is experiencing thunder and showers and the forecast is for cool though somewhat unsettled weather.

Market Reports

A favourable factor before the

opening of the market:—The violent phase of the textile strike seems to have passed.

Unfavourable factors were:—
1.—The apparent inability of the market to withstand the lack of important constructive news.
2.—The renewed irregularity in Government Bonds.

The market is easy with initial losses of fractions to one point. U. S. Steel Preferred shares and Western Union issues have declined two points. In view of the prevailing uncertainties, further unsettlement seems to be expected.

London Silver:—Spot: 21-13/16, up 1/8; Forward: 21-13/16, up 1/16.

London Silver Comment:—America and India bought, China sold. Market steady.

NEW YORK STOCK AND COMMODITY QUOTATIONS

AMERICAN ORIENTAL FINANCE CORPORATION AND S. E. LEVY & CO.

New York, Sept. 15.

The American Oriental Finance Corporation's report through their New York agents, Messrs. E. A. Pierce & Co., states:—

Stocks:—Temporary resistance was shown but, lacking important constructive news, we would continue a cautious attitude.

Wheat:—The market opened lower on Commission House selling. The subsequent rally was the result of buying by a broker who usually acts for mill interests. Otherwise, there was no demand of any consequence.

Cotton:—The cessation of liquidation of distant months, a less urgent Trade demand for near shipments and moderate hedging were the features of the market to-day. A forecast of the weather indicated frost in Western Oklahoma and in the North-Western parts of Texas. The technical position of the market is strong and we recommend purchases.

Rubber:—The market was very steady, due to buying by Commission Houses and closed steady. Dealers were not in the market.

New York, Sept. 15.

Messrs. S. E. Levy & Company's report, through their New York agents, Messrs. White, Weld & Co., states:—

Stocks:—The lack of news caused further discouraged liquidation and the market reacted within a few points of the bottom levels established last October and late in July. We believe that moderate purchases in this general area could be risked before a trading rally occurs, with a reservation for further purchasing power. Business done: 840,000 shares.

Bonds: Government bonds eased off fractionally. High-grade issues were off a point on selling of odd lots, blocks not being offered down. Bidding was thin. Second-grade issues ruled weak.

Wheat:—There was further long liquidation by tired holders. Thursday's sales: 25,341,000 bushels.

Grains:—The situation is fundamentally unchanged and accumulation on the scale down appears to be the preferable course. Business done: 10,646,000 bushels.

Cotton:—The Trade were the principal buyers. Our opinion of the market remains unchanged.

Rubber:—The bearish sentiment in financial circles and the labour uncertainties are influencing traders. Commodities are needing a new incentive to turn the trend. Business done: 935 lots.

NEW YORK MID-DAY PRICES

The following mid-day prices were received on Saturday from New York by The American Oriental Finance Corporation and Messrs. S. Levy & Co.

COMMODITIES							
	Sept. 14			Sept. 15			
	Close	Open	10.30	11.00	11.30	Mid-day	
New York-London	5.00½	5.01	5.01	5.01	5.01½		5.01
Cotton: December	12.90	12.90	12.86	12.84	12.82		12.82
Cotton: March	12.94	12.94	12.91	12.89	12.88		12.89
Rubber: December	15.33	—	15.48	15.45	15.43		15.50
Rubber: March	15.70	—	15.86	15.82	15.83		15.90
Wheat: December	1.03½	—	1.03½	1.03½	1.04½		1.04½
Wheat: May	1.04½	—	1.04½	1.04½	1.04½		1.05½
Corn: December	.76½	—	.77½	.76½	.76½		.76½
Corn: May	.77½	—	.77½	.77½	.78		.78½
Winnipeg Wheat: May.....	.87½	—	—	.87½	.87½		.87½
STOCKS							
Industrial Averages	86.83	86.65	Business done	170,000 shares			
American Smelting	31½	31½	31½	31½	31½		32
Auburn	22	—	21½	21½	21½		21½
Consolidated Gas of N.Y. ..	25½	25½	25½	25½	25½		25½
Du Pont	84½	—	84½	84	84½		85
El. Bond and Share	9½	9½	9½	9½	9½		9½
General Motors	26½	26½	26½	26½	26½		27½
Int. Tel. and Tel	8½	8½	8½	8½	8½		8½
Loew's Inc.	25½	—	25½	25½	25½		26½
McIntyre Porcu.	44½	—	44½	—	44		44
Montgomery W.	22½	22½	22½	22½	22½		22½
Nat. Distillers	18½	—	18	18½	18½		18½
N.Y. Central	19½	19½	19½	19½	19½		20
Standard Oil Co. of N.J.	41½	41½	41½	41½	41½		41½
U.S. Aircraft	12½	—	12½	12½	12½		12½
U.S. Steel	30½	30½	30½	30½	30½		30½

COMMODITY PRICES

New York Cotton				
New York, Sept. 16.				
	Sept. 14	Sept. 15		
	Closing	Opening	Closing	
Oct.	12.79	12.79	12.80	12.71 12.72
Dec.	12.91	12.90	12.90	12.81 12.82
Jan.	12.91	12.92	12.90	12.84 12.84
Mar.	12.94	12.94	12.94	12.91 12.91
May	12.98	12.96	12.97	12.95 13.95
July	13.01	13.00	12.99	12.97 13.00
Spot	13.05			12.95
New York Rubber				
	15.15	15.10	15.10	15.29 15.29
Oct.	15.15	15.45	15.43	15.54 15.55
Jan.	15.51	15.55	15.57	15.66 15.66
Mar.	15.80	15.85	15.88	15.92 15.92
May	16.07	16.14	16.14	16.21 16.22
July	16.30	16.35	16.40	16.48 16.48
Total Sales:			181 lots	

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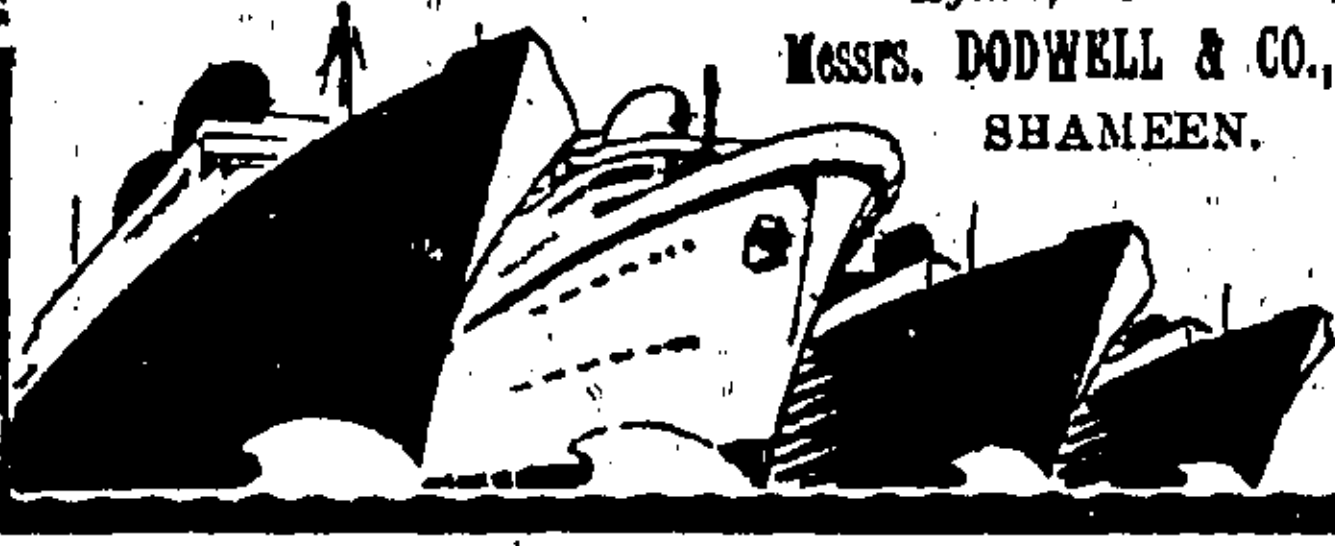
S.S. "CONTE VERDE" ... 29th Sept.
S.S. "CONTE ROSSO" ... 3rd Nov.
S.S. "CONTE VERDE" ... 1st Dec.

For Italy

S.S. "CONTE VERDE" ... 11th Oct.
S.S. "CONTE ROSSO" ... 15th Nov.
S.S. "CONTE VERDE" ... 13th Dec.
S.S. "CONTE ROSSO" ... 17th Jan., 35.

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534'S SIREN

Deep Note's Range Over Ten Miles

London, Aug. 25.

The new Cunarder 534, which the Queen will launch and christen at Clydebank next month, will have a siren that will ordinarily carry sound for ten miles.

Instead of being upright as other ships' sirens are its "mouths" will stand out, like eight-foot-long guns, in all directions from the funnels. An electric switch will operate it. The note is A, two octaves below the middle octave on the piano, and although its mere whisper will carry so far, its mellow depth is such that the passengers on 534 itself will not be disturbed by it. Of all notes, this one was found by the acoustic experts who have chosen it to be the ideal one for nerve comfort. It is expected that passengers will become so attuned to it that they will hardly hear the swelling wave of sound. Perfect "control" of its voice will be possible, and it will not always sing with the full majesty of its three throats at once. Sometimes just a ten-mile "murmur" from one throat will be all that is necessary.

RUBBER RESTRICTION IN MALAYA

Controller's Warning

London, Aug. 25.

The Controller of Rubber has warned producers in Singapore regarding the carry-forward condition of the Restriction Agreement. He has pointed out that the maximum carry-forward of export rights from one year to the next is limited to not more than 12 per cent. of the permissible exportable amount for that control year. This gives a maximum carry-forward for Malaya for 1934-35 of 30,744 tons. This figure covers unused estate credits and also dealers' stock covered by export rights. For the Federated Malay States alone, the corresponding maximum is 17,080 tons, whereas the actual carry-forward of the Federated Malay States alone on July 31 was 29,322 tons.

The Controller adds that, unless the estates use their provisional credits on a more generous scale, dealers will cease to hold up rubber, and it will become necessary to restrict the extent to which export credits may be carried forward and also to limit the stocks held by individual dealers.

BRITISH TRADE RETURNS

Expansion In August

London, Sept. 14.

The Board of Trade returns for August shows an expansion of both imports and exports, as compared with August 1933.

Imports were of the value of £30,027,050, being an increase of £2,000,832 as compared with the figures for July and of £3,351,783 on August last year.

Exports were of the value of £32,090,009, a decrease of £139,612 on the figure for July, which, owing to the holiday season, had more working days than the month under view, and an increase of £1,093,261 over the total for August of 1933.

The value of re-exports during the past month was £3,301,597.

Figures for Eight Months For the first eight months of this year imports totalled £249,444,250, an increase of £49,281,061 compared with the corresponding period of last year, while exports at £255,089,324 show an increase for the eight months of £18,910,595.

The increase in the volume of imports during the past eight months, of nearly fifty millions, is heaviest in the category of raw materials and unmanufactured articles, which, compared with the corresponding period of 1933, show an advance of £27,554,964. Articles wholly or mainly manufactured increased by £17,826,342, and food, drink and tobacco by £4,015,220.

In regard to exports during the eight months, articles wholly or mainly manufactured show an advance of £15,091,888 on last year's figures, while raw materials exported increased by £1,831,076, and food, drink and tobacco by £1,980,815.

British Wireless.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Sept. 16.
Reichsmark quotations (without guarantee):—
New York 44.5
Paris 600.05
Amsterdam 58.94
Dollars Sterling 75.03
Dollar 14.965
Transocean Kuo Min.

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

SATURDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The market remains steady. There are enquiries for Hotels, Lights, Ropes, Realities, Telephones. Old and New, but sellers are scarce and buyers may have to increase their ideas of prices.

SALES

H.K. Lands, \$50.

Electricity, \$71.

BUYERS

Union Insurances, \$530.

H.K. Pines, \$243.

Douglases, \$40.

Antamoks, 62 cts.

Balatoes, \$37.

Bagulo Gold, 46 cts.

Benguet Consolidated, \$42.

Rauts, \$12.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$10.80.

Hotels, \$5.40.

H.K. Lands, \$49.

Chinese Estates, \$89.

H.K. Trams, \$20.

China Lights (old), \$84.

China Lights (new), \$8.20.

Telephones (old), \$23.90.

Telephones (new), \$11.10.

Singapore Traction, \$4.9.

Singapore Traction (Pref) 17/3

Constructions (new), 78 cts.

Govt. Loan (4%), 6% Prem.

Govt. Loan (3%), 21% Prem.

SELLERS

Hotels, \$54.

Electric, \$72.

Sandakan Lights, \$8.

Cements, \$2.60.

Wallace Harpers, \$74.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

There was no change in Silver prices in London yesterday. Ready at 21 11/16 and Forward at 21 1/2. China continued as a seller and purchases were made for account of India. The market closed on the firm side with American and speculative buying inquiries. Sterling opened at 5.004 and closed at 5.01.

Market

The tone was steady.

Sterling

Opened with sellers at 1/6 25/32, subsequently 1/6 13/16 with buyers at 1/6 27/32. December business was done at 1/6 29/32 and September delivery at 1/6 27/32, and there were rumours of business for October at 1/6 1/2. The market closed with sellers at 1/6 27/32 for near and buyers at 1/6 7/8 for September and October.

U.S. Dollars

Sellers 39 3/16 and buyers at 39 5/16. Business was reported for October at 39 5/16.

Yen

1304.

Gulden

564.

Shanghai Dollars

Business done 1104. Buyers 1104, sellers 110 7/16.

Shanghai Market

Sterling opening rate 1/5 near and forward. Later the forward rate improved to 1/5 1/16. Dollars 35 7/16 for near, 35 1/2 forward, improving to 35 1/2 and 35 9/16 for near and forward respectively.

CANTON SILK MARKET

The Kwangtung Raw Silk Testing Bureau, Department of Reconstruction, Canton, China.

Canton Quotations

September 14.
Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$430N.
Small Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$435N.
Cracks N.S. 14/16 H.K. \$280P.
Extra Extra 20/22 H.K. \$255N.
Waste N.S. Open H.K. \$52N.

Yokohama Quotations

September 15.
Opening Yen 450
Bourse six months Yen 450

New York Quotations

September 14.
Bid Ask
December 1.10 1.11
February 1.11 1.12
April 1.11 1.12
New York Quotations are obtained through Courtesy of American Oriental Finance Corporation.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

On	Sterling Parity	Sept. 13.	Sept. 14.
Amsterdam	18.10 Florins	516 S.	516 S.
Athens	375 Drachmas	216	216
Belgrade	276,316 Dinars	1241	1238
Berlin	20.43 Marks	1/6 1/16	1/6 1/16
Bombay	1s. 6d. per Rupee	21.06	21.07 1/2
Brussels	35 Belgas	495	495
Bucharest	813,588 Lei	364 S.O.	364 S.O.
Buenos Aires	47,562 per Peso	22.40	22.40
Copenhagen	18.159 Kroner	15.15	15.16
Geneva	96.224 Francs	226 1/2	226 1/2
Helsingfors	193.23 Marks	1/6 1/16	1/6 1/16
Hongkong	110 Escudos	110 1/2	110 1/2
Lisbon	26.224 Pesetas	39 3/16	38 7/32
Madrid	92.48 Liras	57 21/32	57 11/16
Milan	50.864 per Lira	39 1/2	39 1/2 S.O.
Montevideo	4.587 Dollars	4.85 1/2	4.86
Montréal	4.587 Dollars	5.00 1/2	5.01
New York	18.159 Kroner	19.90 1/2	19.90 1/2
Oalo	18.159 Kroner	75 1/32	75 3/32
Paris	194.21 Francs	118 1/16	118 1/16
Prague	184.25 Kronen	44 S.O.	44 S.O.
Rio de Janeiro	96.932 per Gold Milreis	1/5	1/5
Shanghai	18.159 Kroner	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Stockholm	24.554 Schillings	26 1/2	26 1/2
Vienna	24.554 Schillings	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
Yokohama	24.554 per Yen	21 11/16	21 11/16
Silver (spot)		21 1/2	21 13/16
Silver (forward)		34 1/2	34 1/2
War Loan		7 1/2	7 1/2

Closing Quotations

September 15, 1934

ON LONDON:—
Telegraphic Transfer... 1/8
Bank Bills, on demand... 1/8
Bank Bills, 4 months... 1/8
Credita, four months... 1/8
ON SHANGHAI:—
On Demand... 10 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:—
On Demand... 10 1/2
ON JAPAN:—
On Demand... 130 1/2
ON INDIA:—
Telegraphic Transfer... 1/8
Bank, on demand... 21 11/16

ON NEW YORK:—
Bank Bills, on demand... 39 1/2
Credita, 60 days' sight... 39 1/2
ON BATAVIA:—
On demand... 55 1/2
ON PALESTINE:—
Bank Bills, on demand... 57 1/2
Credita, 4 months' sight... 60 1/2
ON SAIGON:—
On demand... 57 1/2
ON MANILA:—
On demand... 77
ON BANGKOK:—
On demand... 130 1/2
SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying Rate... 1/8
BAR SILVER, per oz... 21 11/16

FOREIGN TRADE OF GERMANY

August Position Reviewed

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")
(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1934. Received, September 16, 4.30 p.m.)

Berlin, Sept. 15.

Despite the shrinkage in the total volume of German foreign trade for the month of August from 684 million marks in July to 677 millions in August, that is a decline of seven million marks, the position taken as a whole shows a vast improvement inasmuch as the deficit in balance was only nine million marks in August as compared with 42 millions in July. This makes August the most favourable month of 1934 except March which had a slight surplus balance of three million marks.

This change is doubtless the outcome of the Reich's new legislation for the supervision of foreign trade. For instance, import declined from 363 millions in July to 343 millions in August while a year ago, August 1933, the imports were 347 million marks. The decline since July, 1934 amounts to 6 per cent., the drop being due to smaller imports of foodstuffs by eighteen million marks. The most hopeful feature is the increase of exports from 321 million marks in July to 334 millions in August, as against 413 millions in August, 1933. The rise from July to August 1934, amounts to thirteen million or 4 per cent., the increase being due partly to greater export of raw materials such as coal and partly to manufactured goods, the rise being in about equal proportions.

Export to France, Switzerland, and Holland declined but was more than compensated by increased export to Sweden, Italy, Great Britain, Denmark and Russia. Transocean Kuo Min.

PRICES ADVANCE

Berlin, Sept. 15.
The very favourable figures about Germany's foreign trade, reported elsewhere, put the share-market into optimistic mood, on Saturday so that prices in many cases advanced satisfactorily. The improvement spread over all sections of the market.

Fixed interest securities were also buoyant, gold and mortgage bonds rising half a point all round and in some cases three-quarter. Before the publication of the particulars of the scheme on Tuesday night, investors showed extreme caution, and uncertainty was felt about the way the plan would effect different industries.

IMPORT PRICES

The Latest Quotations

The reports and prices are published as supplied by Importers:
Cotton Piece-Goods and Fancy Cotton Goods

The following reports have been received:—
The market for Cotton Piece-Goods continues very quiet with only a limited demand for "Spot" cargo. Manchester prices are a good deal firmer but local values do not improve. No new business in Spring Fancies is reported to date.

The latest Cotton prices to hand are those of the 13th inst:—
American Mid. "Spot" ... 7.09d.
Egypt. Sakel F.G.P. "Spot" 8.32d.

Woolens
There is a slightly better tone and recent arrivals of the new season's Woolens are going into consumption fairly well. In some instances, prices are satisfactory but Serges and Garbarines are not doing well on account of serious Japanese competition.

There is enquiry for Hosiery Yarns and some sales are reported in "Spot" cargo.

SHARE QUOTATIONS

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Sept. 16.
Gelsenkirch Mining 61 60.50
Co. 152 153.375
German Dye Works 145.50 145
Hamburg America 28.125 25.125
Line 104.50 104.15
Harpener Mining 71.965 62
Mannesmann 28.625 28.625
North German 152 153.375
Reichsbank 103.875 104.375
Rhenish Westphalen 147.50 148.50
Siemenshalske 40.625 40.50
United Steel Works 104.625 104.50
Young Loan Unquoted 94
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The price trend will set itself accordingly as soon as the practical effects become apparent. Business was very lively on Saturday because of the publication of the figures of Germany's foreign trade in August, showing a much favourable outlook resulting from trade supervision. The price trend of the fixed interest security market followed parallel to the share-market both being affected by the same causes. Prices at the close of the week differed not greatly from those at the opening.

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Pres. Hoover, Oct. 8, Noon	Pres. Grant, Oct. 12, Midnight
Pres. Wilson, Oct. 23, Midnight	Pres. Jefferson, Oct. 28, Midnight
Pres. Coolidge, Nov. 3, Noon	Pres. Jackson, Nov. 8, Midnight
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Pres. Moore, Oct. 27, 8 a.m.	Pres. Hoover, Sept. 27, 8 p.m.
Pres. Van Buren, Nov. 10, 8 a.m.	Pres. Hayes, Sept. 29, 8 a.m.
Pres. Garfield, Nov. 24, 8 a.m.	Pres. Grant, Oct. 12, 6 p.m.

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DR. SCHACHT'S DECREES

Control of Imports Into Germany

London, Sept. 14.
The effects of recent decrees issued by the German Minister of Economics Dr. Schacht, have been subjected to close examination during the past few days, with particular reference to their bearing on the Anglo-German exchange agreement, which was signed as recently as August 10 and which came into operation on August 20.

In accordance with these decrees, full control will be exercised over all imports going into Germany as from September 24. Machinery for operating this control provides for estimates being made in advance to the amount of foreign exchange likely to be available each month, and limitation of that month's imports will be strictly controlled by the issue of permits so that payments may be met within the estimate.

The New System

Two important changes are introduced by the new system. First, the control applies not only as in the past to raw materials but to imports generally, and second, the new machinery will involve the abolition of general exchange permits which formed the basis of the recent Anglo-German agreement. In these circumstances discussions with the German Government are generally considered necessary to discover in greater detail how the new machinery will function and whether the recent Anglo-German agreement can continue to operate under the new regulations; and if not, whether it is desirable to substitute for it a fresh agreement.

Now that the Lancashire spinners have refused the terms offered by Germany for repayment of outstanding debts the whole question of repayment of Germany's existing commercial debts to this country remains unsettled, and the matter will be raised in the Anglo-German discussions.

British Discussion

The Foreign Office announces it has been agreed between His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom and the German Government that the delegation headed by Sir Frederick Leith-Ross, Chief Economic Advisor to His Majesty's Government, shall proceed immediately to Berlin to initiate discussions on the commercial and financial relations between the two countries. As affected by the new German machinery for control of imports and allocation of foreign exchange.

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Empress of Asia	Oct. 5	Oct. 7	Oct. 9	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	Oct. 19	Oct. 22	Oct. 22
Empress of Canada	Oct. 19	Oct. 21	Oct. 23	Oct. 24	Oct. 26	Nov. 12	Nov. 15	Nov. 15
Empress of Russia	Nov. 2	Nov. 4	Nov. 6	Nov. 8	Nov. 10	Nov. 19	Nov. 22	Nov. 22
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CHENONCEAUX ... 6th Nov.	ATHOS II ... 18th Nov.
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Week-End Statement. Waterfront News.

WEEK-END CARGO RETURNS

During the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m., yesterday a total of 18 ships brought 9150 tons of cargo to the Colony and carried 11,808 tons for through ports. These ships brought 658 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 19 ships left the Colony.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR**WHARVES**Kowloon—Ermland.
Osaka Shosen Kaisha—Hozan Maru.
Douglas Laprak—Seistan.**DOCKS**Kowloon—Yuen Sang, Katie Moller, Siamese Prince.
Talkoo—H.M.S. Osiris, Maron, Hong, Kheng, Ninghai.**BUOYS**No. A1—Pembrokehire.
No. A3—Asuka Maru.
No. A4—Tai Ping Yang.
No. A7—Bendleuch.
No. A8—Tijnegara.
No. A9—King Yuan.
No. A11—Tai Ping.
No. A13—Michael Jebson.
No. B4—Anhui.
No. B5—Helikon.
No. B8—Hang Sang.
No. B9—Kojun Maru.
No. B10—Kia Lee.
No. B11—Barge.
No. B14—Gunning.
No. B15—Kiangsu.
No. B17—Hiram.
No. B18—Chung King.
No. B20—Tai Yuan.
No. B21—Kwelyang.
No. C1—Prosper.
No. C2—Ying Chow.**SHIPPING MOVEMENTS**

The (Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited) R.M.S. Empress of Japan (from Manila) is due at 5.00 a.m. on the 19th September (Wednesday), and will berth at Kowloon Wharf.

The (Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited) R.M.S. Empress of Japan will leave here for Victoria and Vancouver, B.C., via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama and Honolulu at noon on the 21st September (Friday).

The (Canadian Pacific Steamships, Limited) R.M.S. Empress of Russia left Yokohama on the 15th September (Saturday) at 3 p.m. Due Vancouver on the 24th September (Monday). Leaves Vancouver on the 6th October (Saturday) at a.m. Due Hong Kong on the 24th October (Wednesday) at a.m.

The m.v. Silvertank (Furness (Far East) Limited) from New York sailed from Shanghai this morning and is expected here on 19th instant at noon.

York sailed from Shanghai yesterday morning and is expected here on 19th instant at noon.

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ARRIVALS**SEPTEMBER 14TH.**

Hokuroku Maru, Japanese str., 5,047 tons, Captain I. Kawasaki, from Bais, buoy No. A8.—O. S. K.

SEPTEMBER 15TH.

Chong Lee, Chinese str., 1,249 tons, Captain Tanida, from Canton, buoy No. B5.—Yee Tai Hong.

Chung King, British str., 1,311 tons, Captain J. R. Nisbet, from Canton, buoy No. B18.—B. & S.

Dell Maru, Japanese str., 1,293 tons, Captain N. Hirose, from Swatow, Stonecutters—Osaka Shosen Kaisha.

Hang Sang, British str., 1,356 tons, Captain R. J. T. Hopkins, from Tientsin, buoy No. B8.—J. M. & Co.

Hiram, Norwegian str., 1,109 tons, Captain E. R. Hannevig, from Swatow, buoy No. B15.—Thoresen & Co.

Hydrangea, British str., 561 tons, Captain P. W. Grierison, from Swatow, Chiu On Wharf.—Chiu On & Co.

Malacca Maru, Japanese str., 3,210 tons, Captain N. Ogata, from Sakito, buoy No. A3.—N. Y. K.

Shun Lee, Chinese str., 970 tons, Captain K. Sano, from Canton, buoy No. B16.—Yee Tai Hong.

Sui Yang, British str., 1,594 tons, Captain F. Gibbs, from Swatow, buoy No. B15.—Butterfield & Swire.

Tai Yuan, British str., 2,100 tons, Captain J. K. Clark, from Amoy, buoy No. B20.—Butterfield & Swire.

SEPTEMBER 16TH.

Anhui, British str., 2,080 tons, Captain J. D. Whyte, from Singapore, buoy No. B4.—Butterfield & Swire.

Bendleuch, British str., 3,294 tons, Captain Shipton, from Singapore, buoy No. A7.—Gibb Livingston & Co.

Ermland, German str., 3,897 tons, Captain Knutmann, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf.—Jebson & Co.

Hai Yang, British str., 1,397 tons, Captain E. G. Erwin, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf.—Douglas & Co.

Kia Lee, Chinese str., 1,812 tons, Captain T. Mar, from Swatow, buoy No. B10.—Yee Tai Hong.

Kojun Maru, Japanese str., 1,298 tons, Captain M. Kojima, from Lungkow, buoy No. B9.—D. K. K.

Mary Moller, British str., 1,874 tons, Captain C. Mason, from Canton, K. M. A. Wharf.—G. Grimble & Co.

Norviken, Norwegian str., 1,779 tons, Captain R. Jensen, from Swatow, West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co.

Pembrokehire, British str., 4,896 tons, Captain E. Beer, from Shanghai, buoy No. A1.—J. M. & Co.

Prosper, Norwegian str., 1,377 tons, Captain E. D. Knutsen, from Saigon, buoy No. C1.—Nam Tai Loong.

Ying Chow, British str., 1,216 tons, Captain Warren, from Canton, buoy No. C2.—Butterfield & Swire.

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Sui Yang, for Canton.
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"TANDA"	7,000	4th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"TAKADA"	8,000	16th Nov.	Amoy, Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
"BANPUKA"	17,000	16th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
"BURDWAN"	6,000	28th Nov.	do.

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M.V. "NANK

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.						
From September 17, to 23, 1934.						
HIGH WATER.				LOW WATER.		
Days of Week.	Date of Month.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	
Mon.	17	h. m.	n. m.	h. m.	n. m.	
		01 51	6 7	10 50	1 8	
Tues.	18	03 01	6 7	12 03	1 8	
		31 12	4 5	2 05	4 1	
Wed.	18	04 3	5	12 57	4 1	
		30 39	4 8	23 4	4 1	
Thurs.	20	05 8	4 8	13 35	4 1	
		29 43	5 1	00 52	3	
Fri.	21	07 19	7 4	01 45	3	
		21 5	5 5	14 17	1	
Sat.	22	08 15	7 8	01 45	3	
		21 28	4 6	14 48	1	
Sun.	23	09 5	7 5	02 34	2	
		21 5	6 4	15 20	1	

**HONGKONG METEOROLOGICAL
REGISTER.**

Hong Kong Observatory, Sept. 15.

	Previous Day at 4 p.m.	On Date at 10 a.m.	On Date at 4 p.m.
Barometer ...	29.60	29.78	29.73
Temperature ...	78	81	83
Humidity ...	98	57	87
Wind - Direction ...	E	ESE	E
Force ...	6	4	4
Weather ...	1-EG	C	C
Rain ...	1.4	0.00	1.83

Highest open-air Temperature, 14.28
 Lowest open-air Temperature, 15.00

B = Blue sky; C = Cloudy; D = Drizzle; F = Fog; L = Lightning; M = Mist; O = Overcast; P = Passing Showers; J = Squalls; R = Rain; T = Thunder.

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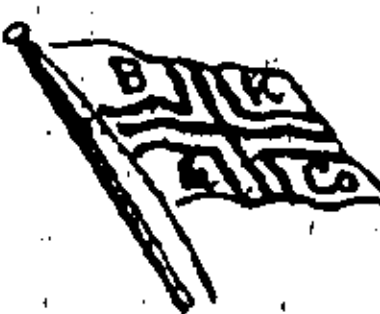
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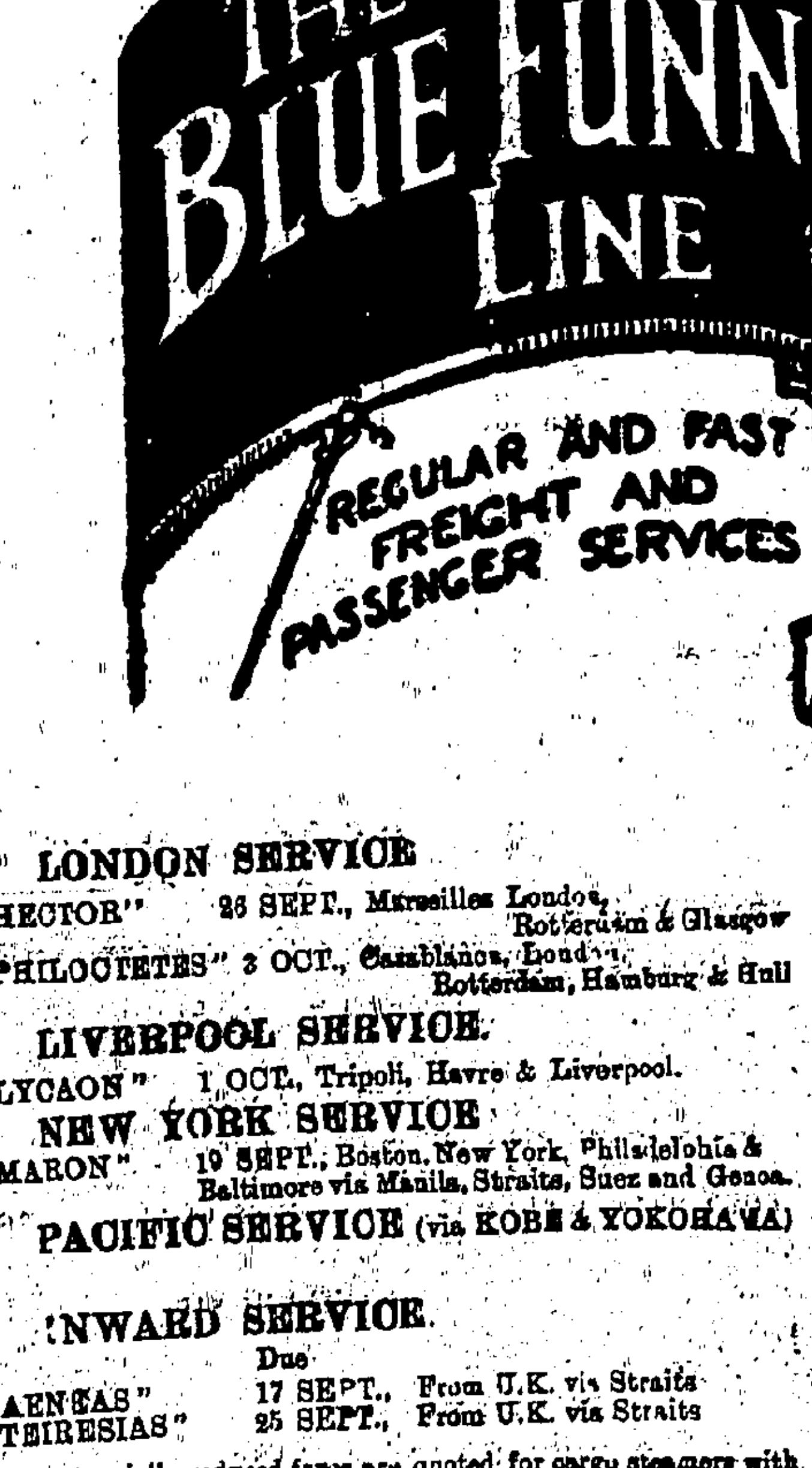
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CALCUTTA, STRAITS and AIR MAIL ex Imperial Airways Service	Kamakura Asaka	17th Sept.
STRAITS	Tsuno	17th Sept.
CALCUTTA and STRAITS	Maybashi Maru	18th Sept.
STRAITS	Sagami Maru	18th Sept.
MANILA	Tyooka Maru	19th Sept.
SEALINE		
EUROPE via SUZ (Letters and Papers) London, 23rd Aug. — and France, 16th August — and AIR MAIL ex Amsterdam Randweg Service	Comoria	19th Sept.
AUSTRALIA and MANILA	Kamo Maru	20th Sept.
STRAITS	Terrestas	20th Sept.
U.S.A., CANADA, JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Seattle, 1st September)	Pres. McKinley	21st Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Manhua	21st Sept.
JAPAN	Atsuta Maru	21st Sept.
STRAITS	Pemany Maru	21st Sept.
STRAITS	Nagato Maru	23rd Sept.
JAPAN	Susaka Atsuta Maru	23rd Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Chishima Maru	24th Sept.
SHANGHAI	Heior	24th Sept.
SHANGHAI	Anshi Laban	25th Sept.
JAPAN	Takada	25th Sept.
JAPAN	Nankin	26th Sept.
CANADA, U.S.A., JAPAN and SHANGHAI (Vancouver, B.C., 8th September)	Empress of Asia	28th Sept.
U.S.A., HOWULULU, JAPAN and SHANG- HAI (San Francisco, 7th September)	Pres. Hoover	28th Sept.
STRAITS	Ginyo Maru	27th Sept.
JAPAN	Lisbon Maru	27th Sept.
STRAITS	Aganiamion	28th Sept.
U.S.A., HOWULULU, JAPAN and SHANG- HAI (San Francisco, 31st August)	Pres. Hayes	28th Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	General Lee	28th Sept.
JAPAN and SHANGHAI	Hakosaki Maru	28th Sept.
JAPAN	Tokushima Maru	28th Sept.
STRAITS	Hapuna Maru	28th Sept.
SHANGHAI	Ichi	29th Sept.

For	Pass	Date and Time
Bangkok	Nanning ...	Monday, 17th
Bangkok via Swatow	Kueiyang ...	10.30
Swatow	Hydrangea ...	1.30
*Manila, Australia and New Zealand via	Taiping ...	8.00
Thursday Island—due Thursday		Fri. 17th, 5.00
Island, 15th September		Reg. 18th, 9.45
		Let. 18th, 10.30
Amoy	Kuenang ...	Tuesday, 18th
*Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tyngara ...	8.30
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Yang	9.30
		9.30
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Saigon	Helikon	3.30
Manila	Pres. Pierce	4.30
Straits	Hui Hing	Wednesday, 19th
Amoy	Tai Yuan	5.30
		5.30
Foochow via Swatow	Huangyang	Thursday, 20th
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada,		1.30
U.S.A., Central and South America		
and *EUROPE via Vancouver	Emp. of Japan	Fri. 20th, 5.00
B.O. (Parcels for Canada only)—		Reg. 21st, 8.15
due Vancouver, B.C., 9th October		Let. 21st, 10.00
Japan and *EUROPE via Siberia	Kamo Maru	Friday, 21st
*Straits and Calcutta		9.30
Hohow, Pakboi and Haiphong	Hosang	9.30
Haiphong	Kinyuan	Parcels 8.00
Swatow	Canton	Letters 10.40
Foochow	Hoiching	1.00
		2.00
Letters for "Bandoeng—Amst- } erdam Air Mail Service" ... }	Mantua ...	K.P.O. Reg. 31st, 5.00 Let. 31st, 4.30 G.P.O. Reg. 31st, 5.00 Let. 22nd, 9.00 Kowloon P. Par. 31st, 4.30 Reg. 31st, 9.00 Let. 10.00 (P.P.) Far. 31st, 5.00 Reg. 22nd, 9.45 Letters 10.30
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East		Saturday, 31st
and *South Africa, Aden, Egypt and		Reg. 6.45
*EUROPE via Marseilles—due Mar-		Letters 9.30
seilles, 18th October		9.30
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Atsuta Maru	Monday, 24th
via Thursday Island—due Thursday		1.30
Island, 4th October	Pres. McKinley	Tuesday, 25th
Manila		6.30
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East	Buena Vista Maru	1.30
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